Teasdale hits PSC for Bell rate hike

Missouri Governor-elect Joseph P. Teasdale of Kansas City said Saturday that the Missouri Public Service Commission approval of recent Southwestern Bell rate hikes was another indication that commission members favored utilities over consumers, and strengthened his belief that they will "have to go."

Teasdale made the comments during a brief afternoon airport press conference on his arrival in Sikeston for the Governor's Ball held Saturday night at the National Guard Armory.

"The situation has not changed since my election," Teasdale said, "the public utilities commission continues to favor utilities without explanation or regard to the mandate I received in the election."

Teasdale scored an upset election victory over incumbant Gov. Christopher Bond in the November general election.

The governor- elect said "The first act I will engage in after I am sworn in is to get with those people (Public Service Commission) and try to convince them that they have to go."

In commenting about his absence from public view since the election, Teasdale said he has been busy studying for his new job and preparing his budget and legislative program. He said he has not taken time for a vacation since November 2, and that preparing a $2.5 billion budget has kept him in seclusion.

Teasdale also said he had been working on a list of names for appointments to his administration. He said that a talent search is underway, looking for the best Missouri has to offer. He said among the new faces in Jefferson City would be many loyal Teasdale Democrats.

When asked how he felt about having a Republican Lieutenant Governor, Teasdale said he did not expect any trouble from William Phelps. "Bill Phelps, to my knowledge, is a responsible man. I don't think he will do anything to undermine me or my programs. Under the Constitution, he (Phelps) has a job to preside over the Senate and that's it. It doesn't make any difference if the lieutenant governor is a Republican or a Democrat, he doesn't have any power. He has a job to do in the Senate and that's all."

Teasdale is to take office as Missouri's 48th Governor on January 10.

Greetings

Missouri Governor-elect Joseph P. Teasdale is greeted at Sikeston Municipal Airport by Scott County Magistrate Judge Lloyd Briggs, prior to the Governor's Ball, held at the Sikeston National Guard Armory. Teasdale said his public appearances since winning the November election over incumbent Christopher S. Bond have been limited because he has been busy preparing a budget, and legislative program, and is screening people for possible appointments in the Teasdale Administration. (Daily Standard photo)

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Holt tried to kill wife 3 times, mistress says

CARUTHERSVILLE — The 17-year- old mistress of Bragg City grocer Eugene Holt has testified that Holt made three unsuccessful tries to kill his wife — and plotted two more attempts — before she was found slain Nov. 23.

Wanda McAllister of Bragg City, who identified herself as having been the grocer's mistress for nearly a year, testified at a preliminary hearing Friday that Holt felt he couldn't afford to divorce his wife, Patricia Joy, to marry her.

Miss McAllister, composed for most of her testimony until cross- examined by Holt's attorney, also said Holt tried to bribe her four days ago to change her testimony. The hearing was held before Pemiscot County Magistrate Sidney Chaffin.

Holt, 34, charged with capital murder as an accessory in the slaying, remained free on $25,000 bond pending arraignment in Circuit Court. Chaffin rejected a request to increase the bail.

County prosecutor Michael Hazel had asked for the higher bond, noting Holt's alleged attempt to persuade Miss McAllister to change her testimony.

Miss McAllister's cousin, Roger Dale Jackson, 18, who is also charged with capital murder in the case, testified that Holt hired him to commit the slaying in return for $1,000.

Jackson was held in the county jail on $25,000 bond.

Miss McAllister, a high school drop-out, testified that Holt had planned to kill his wife because Mrs. Holt, 34, had often rejected his requests for a divorce.

"She wouldn't (divorce him) unless she got everything," the girl testified. "And Eugene said he wasn't about to let her."

Between June and the day of Mrs. Holt's death, Holt spoke of two attempts to drown his wife and one attempt to electrocute her while she was in the bathtub, Miss McAllister said.

He also spoke of appearing to accidentally shoot his wife in front of his mother and of hiring a Memphis acquaintance to kill his wife, the girl testified.

Jackson was offered $1,000 by Holt in April to kill Mrs. Holt, a plan that caused Miss McAllister to waver repeatedly on whether it should be carried out, the girl testified.

"Eugene said he was 99 per cent sure if Roger did everything like he had planned, he wouldn't get caught," she said.

Miss McAllister and Jackson testified that Holt's plan was for Jackson to shoot Mrs. Holt, dragg her body into the bathroom, spray the house with charcoal lighter and set the building on fire.

Miss McAllister, who said she received immunity from prosecution in exchange for her testimony, said the shooting was originally set for Nov. 13, but was delayed when she worried that Jackson might be caught.

Holt said "it would be him (Roger) who hung for it if he got caught," she said.

Holt telephoned her the night of the killing and told her he was going to a local basketball game to provide an alibi for himself, she said.

Miss McAllister said Holt called her Monday and asked her to change her testimony at the hearing, promising a Christmas trip to Memphis.

"I said I was too scared. I was afraid if I did my grandparents would throw me out," she said. "He said if that happened, he'd leave me $25 in the mailbox outside the house."

The girl said that, despite her refusal, she did find $25 in the mailbox the next morning and spent it.

Miss McAllister testified that her affair with Holt began in January, about two months after she stayed at the Holts' at the suggestion of Mrs. Holt and his mother so she could be near medical attention. Miss McAllister was pregnant at the time.

Under cross-examination by Holt's attorney, Jim Ed Reeves, Miss McAllister, with tears in her eyes, acknowledged she

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9 injured in accidents

Nine persons were injured -- one seriously -- in five accidents Saturday on area roads according to the highway patrol.

A four-vehicle accident at 4:45 p.m. on Route K, two miles west of Cape Girardeau resulted in minor injuries to two persons.

The patrol said a pickup truck traveling west being driven by Glenn Wilson Priest, 45, of Gordonville attempted to make a left turn as an eastbound car driven by Robert Boitnott Jr., 17, of Jackson, was approaching. The car struck the truck in the right side, knocking it into the front of a car driven by Matthew Jirauch Jr., 30, of Cape Girardeau, which was stopped. According to the patrol either the Priest truck or the Jirauch car then scraped the right side of a pickup truck driven west by Orville Thoma, 31, of Cape Girardeau.

Wilson Morton, 21, of Jackson, a passenger in the Boitnott car, and Julie Jirauch, 6, of Cape Girardeau, a passenger in the Jirauch car, received minor injuries. Both were taken to St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau.

One person received minor injuries in a station wagon-car accident at 5:20 p.m. on Route J four miles north of Hayti in Pemiscot County.

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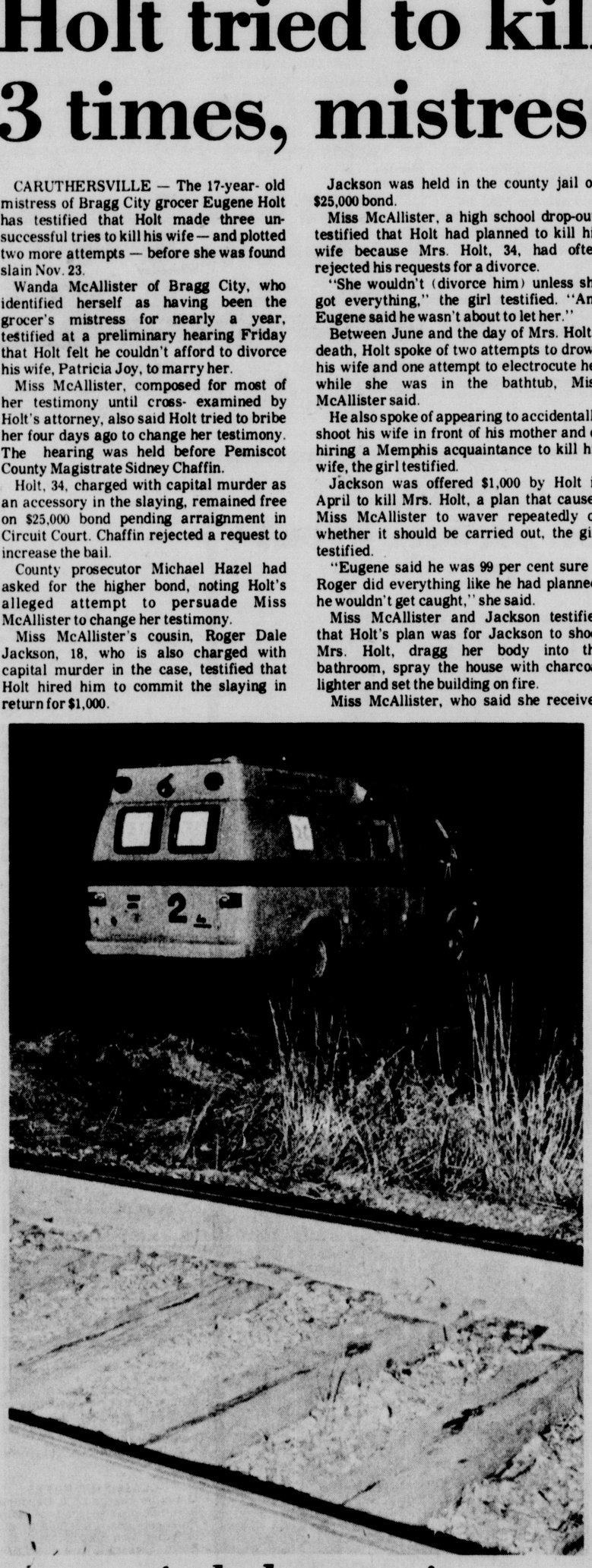

Ambulance waits

A Missouri Delta Community Hospital ambulance waits next to Frisco Railroad tracks, while attendents bring in the body of Rick Hammock, 13, 1002 Ruth St. The Hammock youth was struck and killed by a Frisco work train about 4:30 p.m., as the boy walked along the tracks while hunting two miles south of Murray Lane, according to Sikeston Public Safety officers. (Daily Standard photo)

Sikeston youth killed when struck by train

Rick Hammock, the 13-year- old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammock, 1002 Ruth St., was killed Saturday evening when he was struck by a Frisco Railroad work train, about two miles south of Murray Lane.

Sikeston Public Safety officers said Hammock was walking along the tracks with three other youths, Donald Fodge, Keith Lawson and Travis Cummings when he was struck by the locomotive about 4:30 p.m.

The youths were reportedly rabbit hunting, but officers said they did not have statements from any of the three as of Saturday night.

The youths reportedly told others that they warned Hammock that the train was approaching, and when he turned to look, he froze and did not move.

New Madrid County Coroner Gene Clayton said the train was traveling about 50 miles per hour and knocked the badly mangled body from the tracks.

The train was being operated by Fireman G. W. Roberts. The engineer was R. S. Lilliker of Chaffee.

The train crew told officers it was against company policy to give statements about accidents and refused to say anything.

The body was taken to Nunnelee Funeral Home, where arrangements are incomplete.

Survey response low

There is less than overwhelming interest in a commuter airline link between Sikeston and St. Louis if the number of responses to a Chamber of Commerce questionnaire is any indication.

Only 33 persons bothered to respond to the survey during November.

The commuter airline service is being proposed by SeMo Airways of Malden.

The survey indicated that, on the average, each one of those responding to the survey made 19 trips to St. Louis annually, with 40 per cent of the trips to catch flights to other cities.

Most of these responding wanted their morning flights to arrive in St. Louis between 8 and 9 a.m. and their afternoon flights to arrive any time between 1 and 5 p.m.

Most indicated they wanted the morning flights to arrive in Sikeston between 6 and 9 a.m. and the afternoon flights to arrive in Sikeston between 6 and 8 p.m.

Four persons indicated they make use of 177 air freight trips to St. Louis with a total package weight of 140 pounds. Seven persons said they make use of 138 air freight trips from St. Louis.

None of the respondents said their company imposed restrictions on the use of commuter airlines, but one of the respondents said he has reservations about flying in commuter-type aircraft.

Job Service starts new program

The Sikeston Job Service, office is adding a new program involving young people of the community who are interested in temporary, part-time employment to earn a few extra dollars while attending high school.

Examples of needed job openings are raking yards, general house cleaning and other domestic work, store work of any type and any other job you may need done. They need not be lengthy jobs -- even jobs with as little as one hour duration are openly encouraged.

Several high school students are already registered in hope of obtaining jobs such as these. Anyone who is in need of a part-time or temporary worker and wants to help the young people should call telephone number 471-2731 or visit the state Job Service office at 202 S. Kingshighway.

Good morning

Sunday highlights

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AND OUTSIDE

Partly cloudy today through Monday. High today mostly in 30's. Low tonight mid teens to 20's. High Monday still in 30's.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Clear to partly cloudy and mild Tuesday through Thursday. Little or no precipitation expected. Highs in the upper 40's and 50's, and lows ranging mostly in the upper 20's and lower 30's.

FROM INSIDE

St. Louis Cardinals reacquire third baseman Ken Reitz in a trade with San Francisco Giants Friday. For story and other sports turn to ... Section A.

The second annual Kingsway Mall Merchants and First National Bank silver dollar sale is scheduled for Monday. For busines and farm news turn to ... Section B.

This week's lifescape takes you to the Heritage House for lively steppin'. Turn to ... Section C.

Sunset today	4:42 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:03 a.m.
Moonrise tonight	10:40 p.m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 14

PROMINENT STARS

Regulus leads the moon.
Aldebaran high overhead at moonrise.

VISIBLE PLANETS

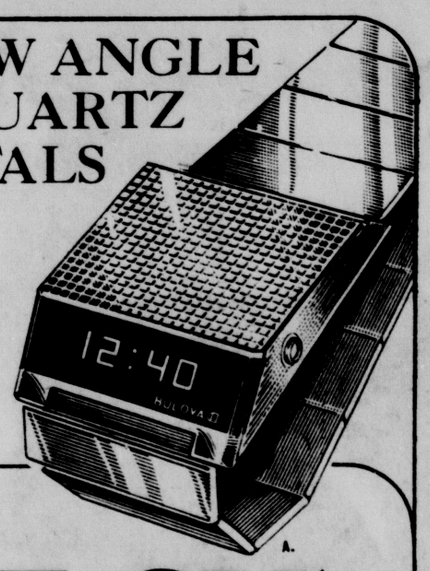
Venus low southwest ..... 6:04 p.m.
Saturn well above Regulus as it rises.
Jupiter west of Aldebaran.

Weather Review

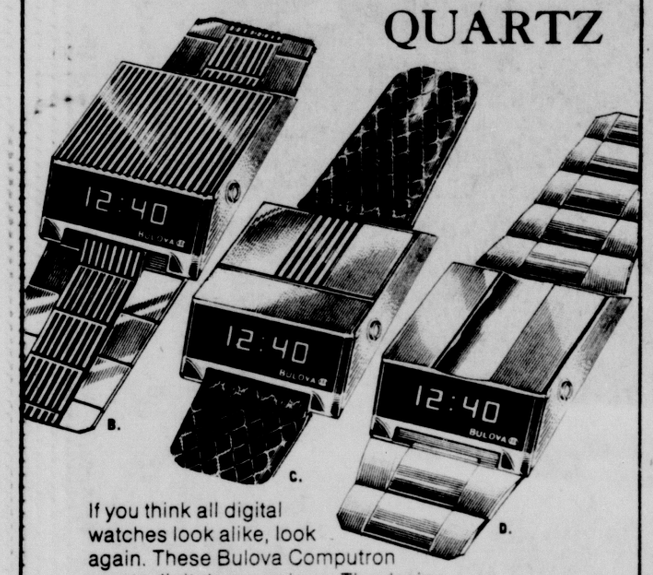
	High	Low	Rain
Dec. 4	45	27	.00
Dec. 5	51	27	.19
Dec. 6	44	20	.41
Dec. 7	24	10	.00
Dec. 8	32	19	.00
Dec. 9	45	25	.00
Dec. 10	47	28	.46
Rainfall for the week			1.06
Rainfall for the month			1.79
Rainfall for the year			38.78

	'73	'74	'75	'76
Jan.	5.22	5.13	3.10	2.97
Feb.	1.67	1.99	4.69	3.21
Mar.	8.64	3.89	11.01	3.74
Apr.	7.98	5.54	3.68	2.66
May	6.40	4.74	2.47	4.36
June	3.14	2.43	3.40	8.74
July	2.81	1.06	3.55	6.13
Aug.	3.08	4.40	7.18	.52
Sept.	3.01	2.04	4.29	1.07
Oct.	3.36	1.13	2.04	2.83
Nov.	8.19	4.21	3.77	.73
Dec.	5.90	3.97	4.62	
	59.40	40.63	53.80	

A NEW ANGLE ON QUARTZ DIGITALS



BULOVA COMPUTRON QUARTZ



If you think all digital watches look alike, look again. These Bulova Computron quartz digitals are unique. The design is exciting, modern, crafted like fine jewelry. The name is Bulova, world-renown for dependable precision timekeeping.

These handsome watches tell the hour, minutes, seconds, month and date . . . with one button control. Self-set for months of 28, 30 and 31 days. Are capable of accuracy to within a minute a year. Other fine digital styles, from $69.95.

A. Hobnail case design. Stainless steel band. $175. In goldtone finish. $180.
B. Diamond-cut striped case and band. Goldtone finish. $170.
C. Stripe pattern goldtone case. Lizard grain strap. $140.
D. Tri-paneled case and band. Textured goldtone. $160.

Rye's Jewelers
"Diamonds are our Business"
KINGSWAY MALL

Daily record

HOSPITAL NOTES

DEXTER MEMORIAL

Released:
Carol Fouts and baby, Puxico
Cleo Harmon, Bernie
Homer L. Carroil, Sikeston
Brenda Laffoon and baby, Dudley
Bertha Trask, Dexter
Judy Duley and baby, Dexter
Charles Fritzaus, Malden

CHAFFEE GENERAL

Released:
Leemon Abbott, Cape Girardeau
Phyllis Bone, Sturdivant
John Davis, Mound City, Ill.
Elizabeth Fetter, Chaffee
Rose Masters, Lutesville
Ellen Stearns, Sedgwickville
Ida Stroder, Millersville
Pamela Urhahn, Chaffee
Olen Wilson, Cape Girardeau

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Mildred Bane, Caruthersville
Willie Buchannan, Caruthersville
Cora Storey, Caruthersville
Frances Edwards, Steele
Allene Hayden, Wardell
Charlene Hicks, Steele
Sheila Watson, Hayti

Released:
Cindy Stewart, Caruthersville
Georgia Singleton, Caruthersville
Ernest Robertson, Caruthersville
William Gunter, Caruthersville
Agnes Bechtlofft, Caruthersville
Lula Tompkins, Steele
Karen Godair, Portageville
Truman Kincy, Portageville
Sherry Quick and baby girl, Portageville
Velma Matheney, Kennett
Zachary Jackson, Kennett
Annie Thompson, Hayti
Samuel Johnson, Hayti
Gladys Dowd, Hayti
Mitchell Hogan, Wardell
Harold Davis, Wardell
Eula Milligan, Bragg City
Ludora Downs, Malden
Joseph Davidson, Lilbourn

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:
Mrs. Lawrence Brashear and daughter, Bertrand
Mrs. Luther Friese, Jackson
Mrs. Fred McCann, Charleston
Mrs. Bertha L. Holder, Cape Girardeau
Mrs. Willard E. Talley, Jackson
Melody Warner, Glen Allen
Geri Smith, Jackson
Mrs. Gary W. Rees, Cape Girardeau
Mrs. Carl Bryant, Anna, Ill.
Mrs. Margaret Waldschmidt, Benton
Sylvanis Kinder, Chaffee
Michelle Smith, Bernie
Mrs. George Pitts, Wolf Lake, Ill.
Mrs. V. Wilma Buck, Bloomfield
Mary Lou Caldwell, Cape Girardeau
Henry L. Ayers, Cape Girardeau
William O. Rauch, Scott City
Mrs. Luther O. Weibley, Marble Hill
Theodosius J. Frentzel, Uniontown
Mrs. Ruby L. Ivey, Lutesville
Amy Hoosier, Bertrand
Dana Held, Chaffee
Mrs. Medford L. Taylor, Marble Hill
Mrs. William K. Blake, Malden
Mrs. Jim Winchester, East Prairie
Mrs. Keith Cotner, Cape Girardeau

MISSOURI DELTA

Released:
Marjorie Todd, Sikeston
Debbie Copeland, East Prairie
Grace Layton, Charleston
John Andres, Sikeston
David Keller, Dexter
Nancy Hale, Delta
Betty Richmond, Bloomfield
Winford Oliphant, East Prairie
William McKenney, Bertrand
Sheila Hampton, Sikeston
Sonya Thatch, Parms
Kimberly Parr, Sikeston
Margie Bailey, Charleston
Nena Davidson, Sikeston
Katherine Bryan, Charleston
Cheryl Williams, East Prairie
Christina Lindsey, Sikeston
Surcie Armstrong, Wyatt
Tara Smith, Charleston
Roy Nall, Sikeston
Brent Keith, Lilbourn
Ivy Clayton, New Madrid
Jo Ann Crump and baby boy, Matthews
Raymond Morton, East Prairie
Patricia Jueneman, Sikeston
Mary Parret, Sikeston
Marvin Ralph, Sikeston
Barbara Rehm, Dexter
Udell Gaddis, Sikeston
Nancy Merryman and baby boy, East Prairie
Sheila McKinley, Sikeston
Minty Harris, Bloomfield
Floyd Hockersmith, East Prairie
Peggy Hampton, Dexter
Joe McCarty, Dexter
Kenneth Riddle, Sikeston
Marie Bean, Sikeston

CITY COURT

Gregg Skinner, 125 Thomas Drive, was fined $20, given a suspended 15-day jail sentence and six months on probation for peace disturbance and a $35 fine, 30-day suspended sentence and six months on probation for disorderly conduct during Thursday night's City Court proceedings.

A second peace disturbance charge and a trespassing charge against Skinner were dismissed.

Fines

Stephen C. Hunter, 225 Taylor St., running stop sign, $15; Nancy L. Campbell, 204 W. Wakefield St., speeding, $28; Roy L. Newton, 1723 Oklahoma Ave., speeding, $20; Margaret E. Hatley, 212 Selma St., speeding, $24; Linda K. Hoppe, 103 Oak Drive, speeding, $22; Gaylon D. Couch, 850 Agnes St., speeding, $20; Charles A. Irwin, 709 E. Gladys St., speeding, $22.

Don M. Curtis, Matthews, speeding, $15; James H. Bartholomew, 410 Pam St., speeding, $20; Wyman C. Radford, 853 Agnes St., failing to yield to emergency vehicle, $25; James T. Fones, 501 Clatyton Ave., speeding, $22; Cynthia S. Mangle, Miner, improper U-turn, $15.

Loretta Scally, 111 Fifth St., running stop sign, $35; Connie E. Potts, 951 Cambridge Drive, speeding, $22; Teresa C. Terrell, 313 Benton St., speeding, $24; Ruth L. Bizzell, 306 Powers Drive, speeding, $20; Thomas M. King, 105 Thomas Drive, speeding, $32.

James R. Killion, 173 Presnell Drive, speeding, $22; Joseph W. Myers, 927 Lake St., speeding, $26; Shirley A. Hall, 926 Arlington Road, speeding, $22; Jimmy L. Massey, 809 Ruth St., speeding, $36; Glorai A. Ritch, Gray Ridge, failing to yield right-of-way, $30.

Timothy Bell, 401 Fletcher St., careless and imprudent driving, $25; Dawn M. Baker, 705 N. Kingshighway, speeding, $28; Jeris J. Brown, Vanduser, speeding, $30; June E. Gosnell, 210 Kinder St., speeding, $25; Danny R. Hayden, 1408 Henry St., speeding, $24; Robert E. Isbell, 846 Vernon St., careless and imprudent driving, $35.

Johnnie L. Sisco, Bertrand, driving while intoxicated, $110; Donald Lee Leek, Box 842, public intoxication, $15; Mae L. Lewis, Parma, petit larceny, $35; Shirley Robinson, 302 Sunset Drive, trespassing, $15; Danny D. Nelson, 720 Matthews Ave., speeding, $20 Jasper W. Miller, Charleston, speeding, $24; Belinda J. Underhill, 930 Arlington, speeding, $22.

Royce A. Allock, 911 Arlington, speeding, $26; Ernest Springs Jr., Route One, speeding, $19; Patricia R. Compas, 431 Pam St., speeding, $22; Willard L. Morrison, 443 Coleman St. sepeding, $30; Allen D. Figley, 268 W. Kathleen Ave., traffic light violation, $30; Joyce G. Clemons, 1006 Willow Drive, speeding, $32; and Regina K. Eason, 307 Helen St., speeding, $20

Cases dismissed

Bill Green, 304 Lee St., assault and battery; Jack Bewley, South Bend, Ind., assault and battery, trespassing, petit larceny and destroying private property James Dozier, Miner, peace disturbance; Danny Hayden, 1408 Henry St., peace disturbance and indecent exposure.

Peggy Bone, 411 Illinois Ave., petit larceny; Robert E. Isbell, 846 Vernon St., destroying private property; Ricky Robertson, Route Four, destroying private property and peace disturbance; and William Meints, Puxico, peace disturbance.

Bonds forfeited

Bonds forfeited by failing to appear in court were: Jack W. Bewley, South Bend, Ind., driving while intoxicated, $250, and Charles E. Willis, 225 Alabama St., peace disturbance, $35.

Warrants issued

A warrant was issued for the arrest of Clay F. Graham, Blodgett, for failing to appear in court on two counts of peace disturbance.

Continued to Dec. 16

Freddie Harris, 111 Westgate St., traffic light violation; Danny Freeman, 953 Cambridge Drive, speeding; Fred L. Scherer, 920 Arlington Road, speeding; Ferrell L. Gravil, 421 Harris St., traffic light violation; Kip A. Reischman, Morehouse, traffic light violation; Robert L. Jones, 324 Sunset Drive, speeding; Ruth A. Shelton, 207A Lillian Drive, speeding; Mike Shell, 232 W. Gladys St., assault and battery.

Joe Pugh, 228 Bowman St., displaying a dangerous and deadly weapon and peace disturbance; Bill C. Taylor, 331 S. Scott St., driving while intoxicated; Chester Gary, Charleston, assaulting a police officer; Lillie M. Barnes, 131 Frisco St., petit larceny; Judy Sanders, Bell City, petit larceny; and Linton W. Jacobs, 927 Lake St., public intoxication, carrying a concealed weapon and trespassing.

Continued to Dec. 23

Earl F. Hurt, 811 Matthews Ave., speeding; Willie Hunt, Chicago, driving while intoxicated; Ray Flippo, 815 Gulf St., assault and battery and peace disturbance; and Sharon J. Beck, 109 N. Stoddard St., speeding and failing to stop for red lights and siren.

Continued to Dec. 30

Iverneal Cobb, Matthews, public intoxication.

Continued to Jan. 1

Joseph V. Abernathy, Morehouse, speeding, and Paul R. Stevens, 806 Taylor St., peace disturbance.

Continued to Jan. 13

Edward R. Heacox, Box 1185, driving while intoxicated.

Continued to Jan. 27

James E. Brown Sr., 414 Wilson St., driving while intoxicated.

Continued to March 24

Jillian L. Johnson, 927 Crescent Drive, speeding.

Continued to June 16

Randy R. Russell, Dexter, petit larceny.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Monday
½ pint milk
Spaghetti with meat sauce
Tossed salad
Green beans
Bread and butter

Tuesday
½ pint milk
Chili burger on bun
Cole slaw
Peaches
Chocolate chip cookie

Wednesday
½ pint milk
Fried fish on bun
Buttered potatoes
Blackened peas
Pink applesauce

Thursday
½ pint milk
Wiener on bun
French fries
Pork and beans
Pear half

Friday
½ pint milk
Turkey and gravy
Mashed potatoes
Tossed salad
Strawberry pudding
Hot roll and butter

EAST PRAIRIE SCHOOLS

Monday
½ pint milk
Kraut and wieners or hot dog on bun
Whipped potatoes
Blackeyed peas
Chilled fruit
Corn bread and butter

Tuesday
½ pint milk
Chili con carne or coney island
Cabbage and carrot salad
Half orange
Crackers
Apple cobbler

Wednesday
½ pint milk
Tamale pie or fried fish on bun
Seasoned green lima beans
Slaw with apples and celery
Hot rolls with butter
Banana pudding

Thursday
½ pint milk
Beans and ham or hamburger on bun
Potato chips
Chilled tomatoes
Mixed greens
Cole slaw
Corn bread and butter
Gelatin with fruit

Friday
½ pint milk
Sliced turkey with dressing or barbecued beef on bun
Cranberry sauce
Green beans
Ambrosia
Coconut cake
Hot rolls with butter

CHAFFEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Lunch

Monday
Beef with noodles
Buttered garden peas
Sliced peaches
Chocolate cake with butter icing
Bread and butter
½ pint milk

Tuesday
Deep-fried corn dog
Potato salad
Pork and beans
Strawberry gelatin
Sugar cookie
½ pint milk

Wednesday
Baked turkey with gravy
Corn bread dressing
Seasoned green beans
Cranberry sauce
Hot rolls and butter
½ pint milk

Thursday
Meat loaf with catsup
Buttered whole potatoes
Buttered corn
Spicy peach cobbler
½ pint milk

Friday
Wiener with mustard
Seasoned Great Northern beans
Cabbage slaw with celery, green peppers and onions
White cake with whipped topping and strawberries
Bread and butter
½ pint milk

Breakfast

Monday
Glazed doughnut
Assorted dry cereal
Chilled tomato or orange juice
½ pint milk

Tuesday
Sausage
Milk gravy
Hot biscuit and butter
Chilled juice
½ pint milk

Wednesday
Pancake with maple syrup and butter
Oven-fried bacon
Chilled juices
½ pint milk

Thursday
Hot oatmeal or rice
Buttered oven toast
Chilled juices
½ pint milk

Friday
Golden puff
Assorted dry cereal
Chilled juices
½ pint milk

ORAN SCHOOLS

Monday
Hot dog on bun
Buttered potatoes
Slaw
Peaches
Milk

Tuesday
Macaroni and cheese
Blackeyed peas
Salad
Chocolate cake
Bread and butter
Milk

Wednesday
Meat loaf
Mashed potatoes
Corn
Fruit cobbler
Bread and butter
Milk

Thursday
Hamburger on bun
Potato chips
Pork and beans
Milk

Friday
Turkey pot pie
Slaw
Fruit
Bread and butter
Milk

MATTHEWS UNIT

Monday
½ pint milk
Hamburger on bun
French fries
Pickles and onions
Peach cobbler
Butter

Tuesday
½ pint milk
Beef ravioli
Creamed peas
Applesauce
Brownies
Bread
Butter

Wednesday
½ pint milk
Fried chicken
Country peas
Creamed potatoes
Peach half
Bread
Butter

Thursday
½ pint milk
Chili mac
Green beans
Cole slaw
Coconut pudding
Bread
Butter

Friday
½ pint milk
Ham sandwich
Mixed vegetables
Potato sticks
Gelatin with fruit
Bread and butter

CHARLESTON SCHOOLS

Monday
Foot-long hot dog
Potato chips
Cookie
Fruit
Milk

Tuesday
Chicken-fried steak sandwich
Buttered corn
Green salad
Cake
Fruit
Milk

Wednesday
Chili with crackers
Peanut butter sandwich
Pickle and carrot slices
Fruit
Cookie
Milk

Thursday
Turkey and dressing
Whipped potatoes
Green beans
Hot rolls
Butter
Cranberry sauce
Milk

Friday
Corn dog
Blackeyed peas
Slaw
Cookie
Fruit
Milk

SCOTT CENTRAL SCHOOLS

Monday
Juicy burger on bun
Mixed vegetables
Whole tomatoes
Cinnamon roll
½ pint milk

Tuesday
Chicken-fried steak
Creamed potatoes
Corn
Gelatin and cookies
Bread
½ pint milk

Wednesday
Chili and crackers
½ peanut butter sandwich
Carrot sticks
Fruit
½ pint milk

Thursday
Sloppy joe on bun
French fries
Blackeyed peas
Pie
Bread
½ pint milk

Friday
Barbecued pork steak
Creamed potatoes
Lettuce salad
Fruit
Bread
½ pint milk

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Tuesday
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Wednesday
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Buttered rice
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Gelatin with topping
Brownie
½ pint milk

Thursday
Hamburger on bun
Pickle or onion slices
French fries
Lettuce leaf
Cinnamon roll
½ pint milk

Friday
Deep fried fish
Great Northern beans
Cole slaw
Pineapple upside down cake
Bread and butter
½ pint milk

FIRE

CHARLESTON— The fire department was called at 8:40 a.m. Saturday to the Joe Morgan home at 809 Helena Street, where a fire in a barbecue grill on the carport had blazed up. Only minor damage was reported from scorched paint on the wall.

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ASC committeemen named in Madrid

NEW MADRID— New Madrid County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committeemen for 11 ASC communities were named Friday following a count of mail ballots by the county ASC committee.

Chairman, vice chairman and member of the newly elected committees will serve as delegates to a county convention scheduled at 10 a.m. Friday in the council room at the New Madrid city hall.

One three-year member will be named to the county committee and a chairman and vice chairman of the county committee for 1977 will be elected.

Results of the election, by communities for the positions of chairman, vice chairman, member, first alternate and second alternate, in order, include:

Anderson--S. E. Mullen, Woodrow Woolverton, Jerry Fisher, Paul McClure and D. E. McGinley.

Big Prairie-- Charles W. Hawkins, Bill Huffstutler, Bruce Depro, Fred Flowers and Wyatt Cobb.

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Miss Harnes will sing solo for 'Messiah'

ADVANCE— A former Advance resident, Miss Sondra Harnes, now of Arlington, Va., will appear as soprano soloist for the production of the "Messiah" by Handel at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., today.

Miss Harnes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Harnes of Advance. She is married to James Selway, and has a 4-year-old son, John.

Miss Harnes is a graduate of Southeast Missouri State University where she studied with Miss Mary Lou Henry. She was awarded a full-tuition scholarship by the Juilliard School, where she studied in the Professional Studies Program with Beverley Peck Johnson. While in New York, she had the opportunity to work with Roger Wahner, Max Rudolf, Jorge Mester, John Wustman and Pierre Bernac.

She has appeared as soloist with the St. Louis, Cincinnnati, and Detroit symphonies. Her most recent performance was soprano soloist with the Arlington Metropolitan Chorus and orchestra on Oct. 24.

In May, she was among 55 singers from around the world who participated in the International Competition at Paris, France. Miss Harnes was one of 10 singers heard in the semifinals, the only American, of 14 entered, to pass the third round.

On Feb. 4, 1977, Miss Harnes will be soloist with the Oratorio Society of Washington. They will present, "Vespers," by Monteverd.

Quilt winner

Mrs. Bonnie Greer won the bicentennial quilt raffled off by the Sikeston High School senior class. Class officers David Shell, Mark Heeb and Kim Yarbrough are shown presenting the quilt to Mrs. Greer. The class earned a $1,300 profit on the quilt and the money will help finance the annual class trip. Mrs. Greer is a teacher in the health occupations department of the school.

HUD will open Scott City office

BENTON— An office to assist homeowners in applying for housing rehabilitation grants under the Department of Health, Education and Welare will soon open in Scott City.

A public hearing on the grant program, which gives up to $3,500 to homeowners for major improvements, will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday at City Hall in Scott City.

Meanwhile, the County Court is filing application with HUD for $400,000 to be used for housing rehabilitation in Scott City, Illmo and Benton.

Tanna Parrish of Charleston, who is involved with urban renewal programs there, and who is assisting Scott County with its application, said that the County Court may be the first in the nation to make application for the program.

It was decided that the county will file for the three cities, which have been determined to have the greatest concentration of substandard housing.

Murder trial venue changed to Benton

JACKSON— One of two men accused of first-degree murder in connection with a liquor store robbery in Cape Girardeau Aug. 7 has been granted a change of venue from Cape County to Scott County Circuit Court at Benton.

The change was granted Gregory Starks, 18, of Carbondale, Ill., by Circuit Judge Stanely A. Grimm.

Judge Grimm denied Starks' attorney's request that statements given police concerning the shooting of Lawrence A. Hitt be suppressed.

The other man charged in connection with the shooting at Argo Package Store, Bobby Lee Curry, 24, of Cape Girardeau, is scheduled to reappear in Circuit Court here Jan. 3, for arguments on motions. It is expected he, too, will seek a change of venue.

A charge against a tnird suspect was dismissed following the preliminary hearing.

Carbondale and Cape Girardeau police officers testified at the hearing that Starks and Curry gave police statements confessing to the robbery and shooting.

Santa Claus letters

Dear Santa,

My name is Melissa Dawn Lewis. I live in Marston, Missouri.

I would like you to bring me a "Hush Lil Baby", "Wake up Thumbelina. and anything else you would like to bring.

Don't forget to bring my brother Gary Don something, too. Also remember my cousins Kelly, Amy, Marsha, Jason and Justin

Thak-You,
Melissa Dawn Lewis
Marston, Mo.

Dear Santa,

My name is Josh Watson. I am 3 years old.

Please bring me a train and a Mickey Mouse Record. I have been a good little boy this year. Don't forget my mommy and daddy.

I love you Santa,
Joshua Watson
Sikeston, Mo.

P.S. I will leave cookies and milk on the table for you

Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Tim Gilmore and for Christmas I would like a Weeble's Treehouse, Bop Bag, Mickey Mouse Club, Christopher Huner Sissy Doll, and a bunch of G. I. Joes'.

P.S. Since I can't write very good my friend Chris, (who is in the 9th grade) is writing for me, so please bring Chris and all his friends at J.H. and all my friends something nice.

Love
Tim Gilmore
Sikeston, Mo.

Life in Beirut returns to normal

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Normal life is returning to Beirut after 19 months of Christian-Moslem warfare.

A young couple holding hands on a stroll or a housewife clutching a bunch of vegetables is again a common sight on Damascus Street, a no man's land just a few weeks ago of explosions and sniper fire.

The barricades and guns are gone now. Fallen trees and rubble have been bulldozed aside, but the ugly piles still bear witness to the ferocity of the battles that were fought on the one-mile-long street where the Moslem and Christian sectors of the city merged.

Lebanese police are back directing traffic which crosses freely again between the two sectors. But troops of the Arab peace force search cars and passengers for hidden arms. Pushcarts full of fruits and vegetables now line the curbsides where bodies of war victims once lay for days before they could be recovered.

"I have heard that Moslem and Christian Lebanese who sat out the war in hotels outside the country dined and danced together during the war," said a Moslem taxi driver on Damascus Street.

"We Lebanese hate each other when we are here, but start liking each other when we go abroad. May God curse those who caused the war."

A spirit of sectarian coexistence appears to be returning under a three-week-old ceasefire imposed by a 30,000-member Arab peace force which is mainly Syrian.

Courts are back in operation and they already have sentenced six persons to a jail hastily set up in the cellar of the Justice Ministry and their food is sent in from restaurants.

Among the six was one of the estimated 2,500 convicts who fled when combatants on both sides in the war opened or blew down prison gates.

Judicial authorities say they have a list of the convicts and they are actively sought now by Arab peace troops.

Beirut's international airport, which was closed for most of the war, has become a place of tearful and joyous reunions as Lebanese who fled the fighting return each day by the jet load.

Activity at the airport is picking up with international airlines resuming normal flights to and from Beirut. Passengers pass through customs and security with a minimum of red tape.

The dockyards at the burned seaport, once the busiest in the Middle East, have been cleared of debris and the port's Board of Directors have announced plans to reopen it this month.

Customs offices have been reinstated at border crossings, busy with an estimated half million returning Lebanese who had fled overland to Syria. Customs officials announced they collected the Lebanese pound equivalent of $1.2 million in duties in the first week the border points reopened.

Sidewalk stalls have gone up on Hamra Street with merchandise ranging from antique coins to plastic shoes, while work goes on to rebuild the burned out shops that once made the street Beirut's main shopping area.

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Dear Santa. . .

Dear Santa,
My name is Angela Dawn Hays. I am 2 years old. And for Christmas I would like a red tricycle, a dolly that cries, and a big Mickey Mouse. And most of all I wish you would make my Aunt Pat well again.
Thank you Santa, I love you.
Angela Dawn Hays
Sikeston, Mo

Dear Santa,
My name is Elizebeth Renia South. I am going on two years old. For Christmas I would like to get some new clothes, a dolly that cries real-tears and wets also a new tricycle , a fluffy stuffed animal and a lot of toys!
Thank you Santa!
I love you and wish you a very Merry Christmas!
Elizebeth Renia South
Morehouse, Mo.
P.S. I'll try to leave some cookies and milk on the table for you!

Dear Santa,
My name is Toshia Long. I am 5 years old. I have been a good girl this year. Would you please bring me a Baby that away, play hospital and a few other things you think I may need. Don't forget my sister Christal and baby brother Davie Jr. Thank you Santa, I'll have cookies and milk waiting for you.
Love you, Santa,
Toshia Long
Parma, Mo.

Dear Santa,
My name is Christal Long. I am 2 years old. I have been real good here lately because I just got potty trained and I'm sure doing a good job. Please bring me Wake Up Thumbilina, Play hospital, also some new clothes. I deserve them. Thank you, Santa.
Love you, Santa,
Christal Long
Parma , Mo.

Dear Santa,
My name is James David Long Jr. This is my first Christmas. I am 7 months old and I am a very good baby boy. I have 4 new teeth. For Christmas I sure would like to have my two front teeth, Busy Bath, Three men in a Tub. Don't forget my big sisters Toshia and Christal. Also my cousin Brian.
Thank you, Santa. My sisters will put milk and cookies under our tree for you.
A little friend,
James David Long Jr.
Parma, Mo.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Shawn Driskill and I'm 2 years old. Santa it's hard for me to be good at my age, but my Mom says I'm good most of the time. For Christmas I would like to have some puzzles, a See N-Say toy, some bath toys, matchbox cars, a Mickey Mouse guitar, building blocks and anything else oyou want to bring me.
Don't forget my Mommy and Daddy and all my cousins and friends.
We'll be at my papa and Grannie Bells house Christmas eve.
Love,
Sawn Driskill
Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Christopher Driskill. I am 7 years old and in the 2nd grade at Matthews grade school, Matthews, Mo.
I have tryed to be a good boy this year and I would like for you to bring me these things.
A U-Drive it, a watch, a flying ace attack ship, a rifle, a cash register, a show-me projector and some clothes. Don't forget my little brother, Shawn who is 2 years old. Bring him lots of nice things. Also remember my little cousin Jennifer and all my friends at school.
Love
Chris Driskill
Matthews, Mo.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Jim Cooksey. I am five years old. For Christmas I want some race cars and a track, a watch, a big wheel with hand brakes, a B.B. gun, the game Ants in the Pants, some new clothes, the game Jaw Breaker, checker set, some story books, a Bugs Bunny Pencil sharpener, a magic "8" ball, Bugs bunny target, a drum set; Putt Putt Speedway, Bugs Bunny Talking Alarm Clock, and a knife. Don't forget my brother and sister.
Your friend
Jim Cooksey
Matthews, Mo.
P.S. We will have a snack waiting for you. I have been a pretty good boy I also want a gumball machine.

Dear Santa,
My name is Carla Cooksey. I am eleven years old. For Christmas Iwould like a tabletop air hockey, the games Jaws, Cat's Eye, Don't Break the Ice, Sleepwalker, Connect Four, and Toss Across. I would also like some steel balancing poles for my unicycle and a Lots-O-Dots, Don't forget all the other little kids in the world. Thank you,
Love,
Carla Cooksey
Matthews, Mo.
P.S. I'll leave you a snack. I also want the game Booby Trap

Dear Santa,
My name is Samantha Crider, and I'm 4 years old. This year for Christmas I would like: A doll, An Etch-a-Sketch, and anything else you would like to give me. Before I say goodby I have a new baby sister named Heather for Christmas you can get her a Raggedy Ann, a play pen, and anything else you would like her to have we will have cookies and milk for you
Love,
Samantha Crider

Dear Santa,
I am Ande King, age one, and I live with my Mommy, Daddy, and my Kitty at 420 Lake Street.
For Christmas, would you please bring me the following. A tuneyville Choo-Choo, Cookie Monster from Sesame Street, a Woinnie the Poo, Disney Poppin' Pals and anything else you think I might like.
Please don't forget my Mommy and Daddy, my Grandma and Grandpa (Mr. & Mrs. Calvin Presley), all of my aunts , uncles, cousins, and friends, and last, but not least, my Siamese Kitty named Yod Rak.
Thank you Santa,
Ande King
Sikeston, Mo.
P.S. My mom wrote this for me.

Dear Santa Claus:
My name is Julie Rodgers and I am 1 year old. I have been a very goodgirl this year. I would like to have the following for Christmas this year: A Holly Hobbie Doll, a telephone, a red wagon, a red velvet dress, some blocks, and anything else you would like to bring me. Please don't forget my Mommy and Daddy, Grandmas, Aunts and Uncles and all my cousins.
Love,
Julie Rodgers
Morley, Mo.

No one is laughing at funney $$

ST. LOUIS (AP) — St. Louis coin dealers predict a rash of activity early next week as collectors seek more of the misprinted $5 bills that showed up at a midtown bank on Friday.

"Something like this always causes people to start searching through their money," said one dealer, "but I personally believe the value of the bills is highly speculative right now."

Four of the bills, which have their serial numbers and the seals of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis and the U. S. Treasury Department printed upside down, were purchased from a bank teller Friday by Barry Faintich for $100 each.

Faintich, vice president of Midwest Money Co., admitted that the purchases were speculative, but he pointed out that $1 bills with the same defects were found in the Philadelphia area last week and have been selling for $150 each.

"We're going to hold on to our bills," he said. "We're not going to put a dollar price on them until we find out more about it."

All bills are printed in Washington by the Engraving and Printing Bureau and are distributed to the 12 Federal Reserve districts across the country.

A spokesman for the Federal Reserve bank here said he could not say how many of the misprinted bills there may be but that he did not believe the bank would make any effort to locate them.

"Once the money has been distributed to the banks it's pretty well out of our hands," he said.

"Of course money is treated differently because of the security it requires," the spokesman said, "but let's face it—money is mass produced like everything else and mistakes are bound to happen."

"But people will be looking for them," said Faintich. "Because the way the government prints the bills leads us to believe that there are probably at least 100 more of them in the St. Louis area."

Attorneys will defend Gilmore on new charge

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Attorneys for convicted killer Gary Gilmore, who insisted he wanted no one to appeal his death sentence, say they will vigorously defend him if he stands trial on a second murder charge.

Gilmore, convicted of the July 20 murder of Provo motel clerk Bennie Bushnell, faces a second murder charge in the July 19 shooting death of Orem gas station attendant Max Jensen.

Gilmore's attorney, Ronald Stanger, said Friday the defense would "make the state prove its case" if Gilmore goes on trial again.

Setting of a trial date on the second charge was postponed Friday when Stanger asked 4th District Court Judge George Ballif to allow Gilmore to be in court for all hearings. Ballif said he'd rule on the request Wednesday.

Stanger said he had expected the U.S. Supreme Court to rule Friday on whether it would review Gilmore's death sentence, but no word came from Washington on the court's decision. Gilmore's firing squad execution on the first conviction has been stayed by the Supreme Court at the request of Gilmore's bed-ridden mother, Bessie Gilmore of Milwaukee, Ore.

Gilmore probably will be able to talk to her on the phone during the weekend, said Stanger. Earlier, Gilmore urged her to withdraw her petition to the Supreme Court. He told her he wants his death sentence carried out without lengthy appeals that would force him to spend years of uncertainty in prison.

Santa hears everything

Ryan Kinney, 5, of St. Paul, Minn., explains his request to Santa in sign language at the Minnesota Institute of the Deaf, which offers classes to deaf youngsters.

(AP Wirephoto)

Bulldogs grab third win of year, 70-60

By DALE FORBIS
Daily Standard Sportswriter

Nearly everybody had their moment of glory during the Bulldogs' 70-60 win over the Caruthersville Tigers. But nobody ever received more accolade for a medium accomplishment than 5-8 junior guard Gary Silverthron. All Gary did was hit a free throw and make the final difference ten points -- the crowd was on its feet.

What's this, some wondered? Have the youth of Sikeston finally cracked?

Not quite. It seems that a local restaurant had promised the students of SHS a free soft drink each if Sikeston won by ten points. There are other considerations for wins by a greater margin.

As good as the Bulldogs have looked at times this year, those poor folks may go broke. At times during the Bulldog-Tiger game it looked like the promotion - minded eatin' place might end up overstocked with soda.

At times the Friday game with Caruthersville took on the atmosphere of a practice. The crowd of 1500 or so, which would fill high school gyms at Dexter, Jackson or Charleston, got lost in the spacious SHS fieldhouse. The bouncing of the basketball, referees whistles and the shouts of players and coaches were more sharply defined and audible than during the muddle of sound that existed during the Sikeston invitational championship game a week previous. No wonder the players' individual efforts faded from brilliance to lethargy for both sides. No matter that some things lacked aesthetically, the ten-point victory, pleasing to the healthy high school crowd, raised Sikeston's record to 3-1.

The Bulldog big men took turns controlling the boards, each dominating a half of the action, and the Bulldogs were aided by subpar Caruthersville shooting. There were only two thorns in the Bulldog's side, center Don Tyes and 6-4 reserve Jimmie Crane.

When they talk about Tyes' "size," they don't mean his 6-3 stature. The fans who chuckled about the huge athlete's 270-pound physique at the first of the game were silenced as he kept lumbering up and down the court, playing all 32 minutes, and fired in a game-high 17 points. His teammate Crane came off the Tiger bench to score a dozen points, ten in the fourth period. Eight of Crane's points came at the charity line, where Caruthersville held a 20 to eight advantage.

The Bulldog big men, 6-4 Alonzo Harris and 6-6 Paul Gilbow, did not enjoy a great night of shooting. They did, however, make their presence felt on the boards...

Harris was the only Bulldog doing anything on the boards during the first half, grabbing ten errant shots. the Tigers outrebounded their taller hosts,20-15, in the first 16 minutes. The Bulldogs, headed this time by Gilbow, took over the boards in the second half, 19-9.

Paul Gilbow had the kind of first half that ballplayers would rather forget about (but newspapers won't let them). The senior center hit just one of six first half shots with a solitary rebound. He bounced back for ten second half points on six shots, nine rebounds and the season's first slam dunk -- a crowd pleaser -- on a perfect assist pass from junior Mike Dewitt in the fourth quarter.

"I just couldn't get it to drop," said the senior about his subpar first half shooting. Gilbow came into the game shooting just a shade under 70 per cent from the floor.

Harris led Sikeston scoring for the thirdtime in four starts with 16 points.

The biggest Bulldogs got help from defensive whiz Jeff Limbaugh again. The 6-foot senior came up with six steals and three fastbreak layups among his ten points, as he helped cover up for the absence of usual starter at the other guard spot, Larry Jackson. Jackson played sparingly because of a knee that was injured in the Bulldogs' last game.

At the "other" forward spot, Kenny Standridge and Tim Ward combined to hit seven of ten shots for 14 points and quard Mike Warfield, Jackson's replacement, had shooting problems but helped immensely on the boards.

The Bulldogs' new look running game enjoyed sporadic success. It was new because the Bulldogs had been using the slowdown, setup offense in the first three games. There were seventurnovers in the first quarter. Things came more naturally after that. Through the last three periods Sikeston made just five turnovers.

The gutty Tigers managed to cling just that much tigher, though, and the lead never exceeded 16.

"We need these three games (against Caruthersville, Fredericktown and Kennett)," said Bulldog coach Bud Spears, "if we are to come into the Bloomfield Christmas Tournament in good shape."

One down, two to go.

Two more

Sikeston guard Jeff Limbaugh scores two of his ten points on a layup after stealing the ball from Caruthersville's Mike Webster. The Bulldogs won their third game of the season Friday night as they downed Caruthersville 70-60 at the SHS Fieldhouse. (Daily Standard photo)

Limbaugh steals show for Dogs

Bulldog guard Jeff Limbaugh is modest about his game-breaking play on defense.

"It's just skill," said the six-footer, trying to hold back a smile. Limbaugh converted at least three steals into fast break layups Friday night and played outstanding game all round as the Bulldogs stopped Caruthersville 70-60.

"Usually Larry plays the point," Limbaugh said, referring to Larry Jackson, who missed much of the game with a knee injury. "But tonight it was me."

Jeff said that instinct has a great deal to do with playing defense. "I try to anticipate the pass. I lay back and let them (the opposition) think they have the pass, then move out when they make it."

Not only did Limbaugh's quickness result in several Sikeston buckets, but it also deprived the Tigers of two points. He ran down big Don Tyes and literally tackled the 6-3, 270-pound giant, ruining his layup attempt.

CARUTHERSVILLE (60)	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	PTS	RB	F	TO
Steve Gubin	1-2	2-2	4	0	2	0
Orlando Owens	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1
Mike Webster	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	2
Troy Cagle	1-2	0-0	2	0	0	1
Danny Webster	2-6	0-0	4	3	1	3
Sam Young	4-16	2-2	10	5	0	4
Rick Agnew	1-7	0-0	2	7	0	3
James Motton	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1
Jim Crane	2-3	8-10	12	1	2	0
Steve Johnson	3-12	1-2	7	5	2	2
Jim Gunnels	0-2	0-0	0	1	0	0
Chris Mehrle	0-0	2-2	2	0	1	0
Don Tyes	6-10	5-11	17	7	2	4
TOTALS	20-60	20-29	60	29	12	21
SIKESTON (70)	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	PTS	RB	F	TO
Morell Baker	2-4	0-0	4	2	2	1
Mike Dewitt	1-2	2-3	4	0	0	0
Paul Gilbow	5-12	2-2	12	10	2	1
Alonzo Harris	8-18	0-4	16	13	3	3
Larry Jackson	1-6	2-2	4	1	1	1
Jeff Limbaugh	5-9	0-0	10	1	2	1
David Shell	0-4	0-0	0	1	2	0
Gary Silverthorn	1-1	2-2	4	0	1	1
Kenny Standridge	3-4	0-0	6	1	3	1
Tim Ward	4-6	0-0	8	1	2	0
Mike Warfield	1-6	0-0	2	4	2	2
Lester West	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1
TOTALS	31-72	8-13	70	34	21	12

FG Pct: Sikeston 43.1, Caruthersville 33.3
FT Pct: Sikeston 61-5, Caruthersville 69.0

BY QUARTERS:				
Caruthersville	6	14	18	22
Sikeston	12	16	18	24

Ken Reitz comes back to Cardinals in swap with San Francisco

LOS ANGELES-- Ken Reitz, who was traded to the San Francisco Giants almost exactly a year ago for pitcher Pete Falcone, was re-acquired Friday by the St. Louis Cardinals.

To land the popular third baseman, the Cardinals gave up the club's winningest pitcher, righthander Lynn McGlothen.

Reitz, who played the hot corner for the Redbirds for two years before being dealt to the Giants last Dec. 8, batted, .267 for San Francisco this past season. His totals included five homers and 66 runs batted in for the lowly Giants, who were in need of pitching help.

"I'd rather play in St. Louis than anyplace else," said the slick-fielding third-sacker, rated the top defensive performer at his position in the league. "I talked to Vern Rapp (new Cardinal manager), and he said we're gonna have some fun this year."

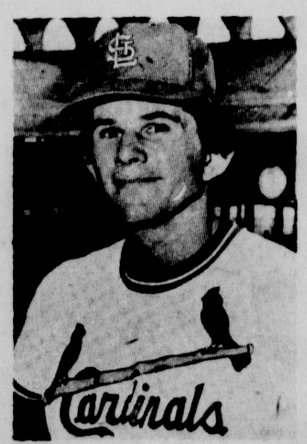
McGlothen won 16, 15 and 13 game for the Cardinals afters coming to the Redbirds from Boston three years ago. But his ERA ballooned from 2.70 in 1974 to 3.91 last season.

The Cardinals had been seeking to trade a starting pitcher after earlier deals had given them an overabundance of hurlers. Since the end of the season, they have acquired John D'Acquisto and Mike Caldwell from the Giants and Larry Dierker from the Houston Astros.

Reitz's return to the Cardinal infield meant that last year's third baseman, Hector Cruz, would probably move to the outfield. "We feel Hector will be a better player in the outfield," said Cardinal General Manager Bing Devine. Cruz will battle it out with Jerry Mumphrey and newcomer Roger Freed for the starting position in right field.

"We hated to give up Reitz a year ago," said Devine about his most recent trade. "We were well aware of his ability and popularity, but we had a desperate need for a lefthanded starting pitcher, and the only way we could obtain Pete Falcone was to include Reitz in the trade."

Earlier Friday the Giants had been close to a deal which would send Reitz to the Pittsburgh Pirates along with relief pitcher Randy Moffitt for Jim Rookie and Richie Zisk. But the Pirates had been hesitant to give up Zisk in the deal.



Ken Reitz

Lynn McGlothen

Pirates beat Bulldogs

PORTAGEVILLE— The Matthews Pireates tuned up for Tuesday night's big Class A showdown with Advance by downing Portageville 78-58 Friday night in a New Madrid County conference clash. The win kept the Pirates in first place in the league with a 3-0 slate and upped their overall record to 7-1.

Larry Robinson enjoyed his finest shooting night of the season for the Bucs, scoring 25 points to lead a Matthews attack that featured three players in double figures. Gerald Davis fired in 17 and Norman Webb added 16.

Matthews took a 14-9 lead after the first quarter and were in control all the way. The Bulldogs, playing without starters David Ellington and Will Story, got 17 points from Terry Durden, whose shooting kept the game from developing into a complete rout.

Portageville won the junior varsity game 58-34.

The Pirates travel to Advance Tuesday night to take on the Hornets in what could be a preview of this year's opening round game in the Class A State Tournament. The Bucs will be 7-1 going into the game, while Advance sports an 8-1 record.

MATTHEWS (78)
Davis 17, Hart 4, Sexton 7, Cammon 8, Robinson 25, Webb 16, Friend 1. Totals: FG-28; Ft-22; PF-13.

PORTAGEVILLE (58)
Durden 17, Ray 6, Jones 8, Bruner 10, Edwards 2, Taylor 11, Ivie 2, Banks 2. Totals: FG-24; FT-10; PF-20.

Score by Quarters:

Matthews	14	17	19	28--78
Portageville	9	11	16	22--58

SCOREBOARD

FRIDAY NIGHT'S RESULTS
Sikeston 70, Caruthersville 60
Kelly 76, Delta 62
Richland 74, East Prairie 40
Dexter 71, Doniphan 70
New Madrid 52, Gideon 49
Woodland 83, Chaffee 71
Bell City 89, Bernie 55
Advance 62, Notre Dame 60
Holcomb 78, Cooter 63
Clearwater 87, Zalma 62
Illmo-Scott City 64, Oran 46
Delta C-7 75, South Pemiscot 50
North Pemiscot 72, Parma 71
Twin Rivers 77, Neelyville 57

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday
St. Vincents at University High
Delta C-7 at Armorel, Ark.
Dexter at Sikeston (Wrestling)

Tuesday
Sikeston at Perryville (Girls)
University High at Leopold
Bloomfield vs. Twin Rivers at Fisk
Jackson at Woodland
Scott Central at Puxico
Neelyville at Naylor
Matthews at Advance
Bell City at Zalma
Clarkton at Holcomb
Malden at Dexter
Sikeston at Fredericktown
Cape Central at Notre Dame at Houck
Campbell at Bernie
East Prairie at Delta C-7
Charleston at Kelly
Portageville at Risco
New Madrid at Parma
Lilbourn at Poplar Bluff

Thursday
Bloomfield at Richland
Delta at University High
Charleston at Dexter

Friday
Sikeston at Kennett
Oran at New Madrid
Clarkton at Risco
Kelly at Jackson
Fox of Arnold at Cape Central
Oak Ridge at Zalma
Gideon at Matthews
Kelly at Jackson
Perryville at Woodland
Twin Rivers at Greenville
Southland at Senath-Hornersville
Lilbourn at Parma
Neelyville at St. Paul, Ark.
Chaffee at Notre Dame

Rebels use big second half to route Oran

EAST PRAIRIE— Richland used a strong defensive effort in the first half, then bombed in the points in the second half to take a convincing win over the Oran Eagles by a 74-40 score.

The Rebels scored only a dozen points in their first period — a low total for an offensive minded team. However, at the end of the quarter, they led by an even dozen. East Prairie was shut out in their initial frame. According to Eagle oach Dave Bone, "We put it up about ten or twelve times, but it just wouldn't fall."

Richland outscored the Eagles 13-12 in the second quarter, and went into the locker room at halftime leading 25-12.

The third quarter saw the powerful Rebel offense kick into high gear as they tallied a team total of 32 points while holding East Prairie to 12. This put the game out of reach for Richland as they took a commanding 57-24 lead into the final stanza.

The last quarter was even much of the way with Richland outscoring East Prairie 17-16 to make the final 74-40.

The Rebels placed 8 men in the scoring column with Sylvester Patterson leading the way with a 23 point performance. Teammate Glen Cole chipped in with 15 as these two individuals were the only two Rebels to finish in double digits.

Roy Dixon lead the Eagle scorers with 16 points. Dixon, only a junior, drew praise from Coach Bone as one of the few Eagle highlights in an otherwise bad evening. "Roy is just a good kid who is playing steady ball for us this year, and we look to him to have a fine year next year as well." Danny Johnson joined Dixon as the only other Eagle scorer in double figures as he hit for twelve markers.

EAST PRAIRIE (40)
Dixon 16, D. Johnson 12, L. Johnson 6, Owens 2, Petty 2, Robinson 2. Totals: FG-18; FT-4; PF-16.

RICHLAND (74)
Patterson 23, Cole 15, Wilson 8, S. Clark 7, Hicks 8, J. Clark 5, Ledbetter 4, Herrion 2. Totals: FG-31; FT-12; PF-14.

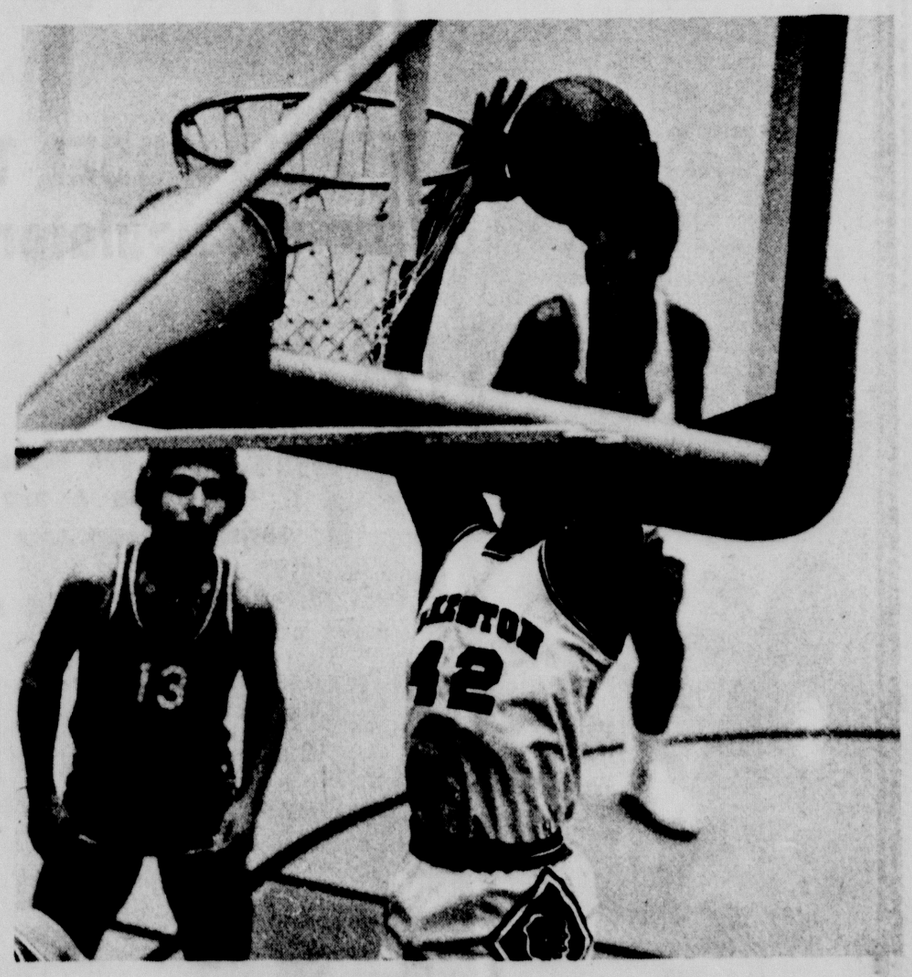
Score by Quarters:

East Prairie	0	12	12	16--40
Richland	12	13	32	17--74

Vikes top Miami

MIAMI (AP) — The Minnesota Vikings stopped Miami with a tremendous first-quarter goal-line stand, then went on to thrash the Dolphins 29-7 behind three Fran Tarkenton to Sammy White touchdown passes to clinch the homefield advantage in next weekend's playoffs.

The Vikings, finishing the regular season with an 11-2-1 record and the National Football Conference's Central Division title, will host the NFC wild-card team—either Washington or St. Louis—next weekend. Washington can grab the wild-card spot by beating Dallas Sundav.



Getting high

Forward Alonzo Harris goes rim-high to pull down a rebound during Friday night's game at the fieldhouse. Harris led the Bulldogs with 16 points and also topped the team in rebounds with 13 as Sikeston defeated Caruthersville 70-60. (Daily standard photo)

Two playoff spots are up for grabs

AP Sports Writer

Pick a card.

There's only two left, National Football League-wise, and both are wild.

The Washington Redskins and St. Louis Cardinals are fighting for the National Conference wild card. Over in the American Conference, Baltimore and New England are doing similar battle, with one major difference.

In the NFC, whichever team gets the card also gets a playoff berth while the other team says farewell to its 1976 playing time. In the AFC, the winner, in effect, comes up a loser. That is, whichever team gets the wild card is the one which failed to wind up with the East Division title. Both the Colts and Patriots have already been guaranteed a playoff berth.

Of all four teams, Washington undoubtedly has the toughest task. The Redskins are playing in Dallas. The Cowboys, at 11-2 are the winningest team in the NFC. The other three play losers—St. Louis at the New York Giants, Baltimore hosting Buffalo and New England at Tampa Bay.

In Sunday's other games it's Cincinnati at the New York Jets, Cleveland at Kansas City, Seattle at Philadelphia, Green Bay at Atlanta, Denver at Chicago, San Francisco at New Orleans and San Diego at Oakland.

On Saturday it was Pittsburgh at Houston, Minnesota at Miami and Los Angeles at Detroit.

Dallas safety Cliff Harris finds himself in a quandry over Sunday's game.

Sikeston jayvees win

The Sikeston Bulldog junior varsity overcame a bout with first-game nervousness and came from behind to grab a 55-49 victory over Caruthersville in coach Mike Foster's first game as jayvee coach.

The 1976-77 Pups are small, but quick. They used that quickness to force Caruthersville into numerous turnovers during the second half. With only one starter over six feet tall, the Sikeston team depended on good outside shooting and jumping ability by Sam Warfield and Jay Kruger to hold even on the boards.

Standout sophomore guard Wilbur Redd led Sikeston scorers with 18 points. Kruger wasn't far behind at 15 and Jay Cox added 11.

The Bulldogs started reasonably well, but fell behind by the first quarter's end, 13-12.

By half, Caruthersville led by eight, 31-23. A third period rush cut the margin in half, but the Bulldogs never assumed the lead until six minutes were left.

After Sikeston led 44-43, the visitors went ahead one final time, but the SHS jayvee wasn't to be denied.

Scott's 12 points led Caruthersville.

SIKESTON (55)
Warfield 5, Kruger 15, Young 6, Cox 11, Redd 18. Totals: FG-23; FT-9; PF-14.

CARUTHERSVILLE (49)
Dawson 10, Dinwoodie 7, Isom 8, Ross 6, Scott 12, Simmons 4, Davis 2. Totals: FG-21; FT-7; PF-16.

Score by Quarters:

Sikeston	12	11	16	16	--55
Caruthersville	13	18	12	6	--49

Southland wins JV tournament

CAMPBELL -- Southland outscored Campbell 28-18 over the middle two periods and went on to defeat the hosts 42-40 to win the championship of the Campbell Invitational B Team Tournament Saturday night.

Gary Blankenship scored 16 and Doug Phelps added 14 points for the winners, who trailed 14-8 after the first period but battled back. Kevin Blume fired in 18 and Allen Cecil scored 14 for the Camels. Campbell did not make a freethrow in the game, while Southland sank two.

Senath-Hornersville won the consolation game with a 56-37 victory over Malden. Bibbs led the winners with 19 points.

SOUTHLAND (42)
Doug Phelps 14, Conrad 6, Gary Blankenship 16, Zolman 6. Totals: FG-20; FT-2; PF-4.

CAMPBELL (40)
Blume 18, Allen Cecil 14, Cunningham 2, Davis 6. Totals: FG-20; FT-0; PF-12.

Score by Quarters:

Southland	8	13	15	6	--42
Campbell	14	8	10	8	--40

SENATH H'VILLE (56)
M. Moore 11, Bibbs 19, D. Moore 4, Branum 4, Brooks 2, Holifield 4, Jones 12. Totals: FG-23; FT-10; PF-16.

MALDEN (37)
Massey 5, French 10, Polen 11, Austin 4, Hollis 6, R. McDonald 1. Totals: FG-15; FT-7; PF-16.

Score by Quarters:

Senath	12	18	11	15	--56
Malden	9	12	10	6	--37

SHS Junior Varsity

The Sikeston Bulldogs junior varsity team opened its season Friday night with a 55-49 win over Caruthersville. Team members are: (first row, left to right) manager Mark Ivie, Jeff Young, Jay Cox, Wilbur Redd, Steve Burgess, Brent Keefer, Kerry Standridge and Chris Launis. (second row, left to right) junior varsity coach Mike Foster, Tom Statler, Sam Warfield, Rick Davis, Mike White, Garland Beaudean, Dwight Mills, Mike Harris, Jay Kruger and varsity coach Bud Spears.

Kelly zone press works vs. Delta

DELTA— The Kelly Hawks defeated the Delta Bobcats Friday night thanks largely to a defensive ploy that coach Nick Lanpher seldom uses — a zone press. Kelly used the press to great advantage during the third quarter of action to help the Hawks to a 76-62 victory.

After the first half, Delta led 35-34 and appeared to be primed for the upset; however, in the third quarter, Kelly came out of the locker room and went into a full court zone press. The press bothered Delta and Kelly came away with a 27-6 advantage in that third querter. With the 20 point lead, Kelly easily held off Delta in the final stanza to preserve the win.

Randy Hagar, the 6'-5" center for Kelly used his height advantage to score 25 points to lead all scorers in the game. Bob Pittman and Bob Dittlinger tallied 11 points each. Teammate Dave Robert had an even dozen.

Only two Bobcats hit double figures with Dave Duncan leading the way with 16 markers.

KELLY (76)
Hager 25, Dittlinger 11, Pittman 11, Felter 8, Robert 12 Mothersheed 4, Riley 1, D. Beggs 1, S. Beggs 2. Totals: FG-30; FT-16; PF-25.

DELTA (62)
Carnell 10, Duncan 16, Huffman 10, Snider 5, Bucher 9, Brown 8, Kelly 4. Totals: FG-24; FT-14; PF-20.

Score by Quarters:

Kelly	15	19	27	15	--76
Delta	21	14	6	19	--62

Steelers earn wild card playoff spot

HOUSTON (AP) — The Pittsburgh Steelers, ignited by Terry Bradshaw's 21-yard touchdown pass to Lynn Swann, defeated Houston 21-0 Saturday to climax a nine-game winning streak that returns them to the National Football League playoffs and a chance for an unprecedented third straight Super Bowl title.

Pittsburgh, which lost four of its first five games, clinched the American Football Conference's Central Division title with the victory and will face either Baltimore or New England in the first round of the playoffs.

Bradshaw, starting for the first time in three games, hit Swann between two Oiler defenders at the Houston one-yard line and Swann dipped into the end zone with 2:59 left in the first half.

The Steelers drove 79 yards on 10 carries in the fourth quarter, with Bradshaw diving the final yard to end the Oiler season with a 5-9 record. Pittsburgh finished the regular season at 10-4.

Pittsburgh's Rocky Bleier and Harris each went over 100 yards in the game. Each runner rushed for more than 1,000 for the season.

Woodland balance sinks Chaffee

LUTESVILLE— The Woodland Cardinals used a balanced scoring attack and built up an 11 point advantage at halftime, then went on to defeat the Chaffee Red Devils, 83-71.

High scores for Woodland were Dave VanGennip and Mike Moyers, who both hit 18. Jeff Wyatt contributed 15, Rusty Barker had 13, and teammate Frank Ledbetter hit for 10, to round out the double figure scorers for the Cardinals.

Lindy Duncan led all scorers with an outstanding performance as he hit for 29 points. He was joined in double figures by two other Red Devils.

It was a cold shooting second period that greatly handicapped the Red Devils as Woodland outscored Chaffee in that quarter, 21-11. The rest of the game was a two point difference.

Chaffee opened the evening of basketball by taking a 50-38 win in the jayvee match.

Woodland (83)
Moyers 18, Wyatt 15, Dave VanGennip 18, Rusty Barker 13, Ledbetter 10, Mondy 7, Almon 2. Totals: FG-32; FT-19; PF-19.

CHAFFEE (71)
Lindy Duncan 29, Groves 3, Kiefer 6, Meyr 14, Fowler 8, Wachter 11. Totals: FG-28; FT-15; PF-22.

Score by Quarters:

Woodland	18	21	22	22	--83
Chaffee	17	11	20	23	--71

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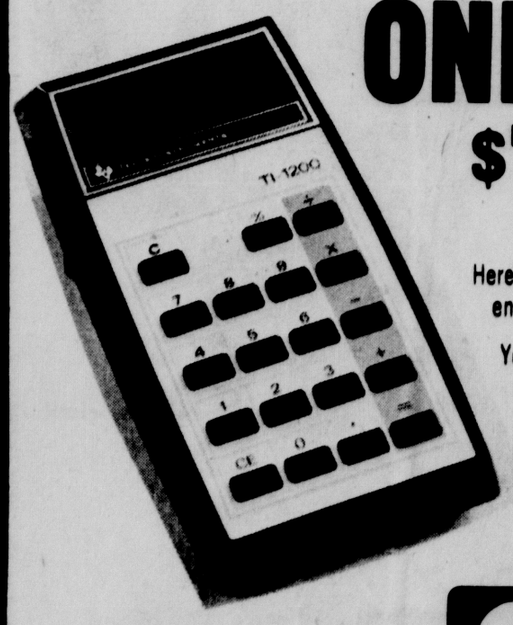

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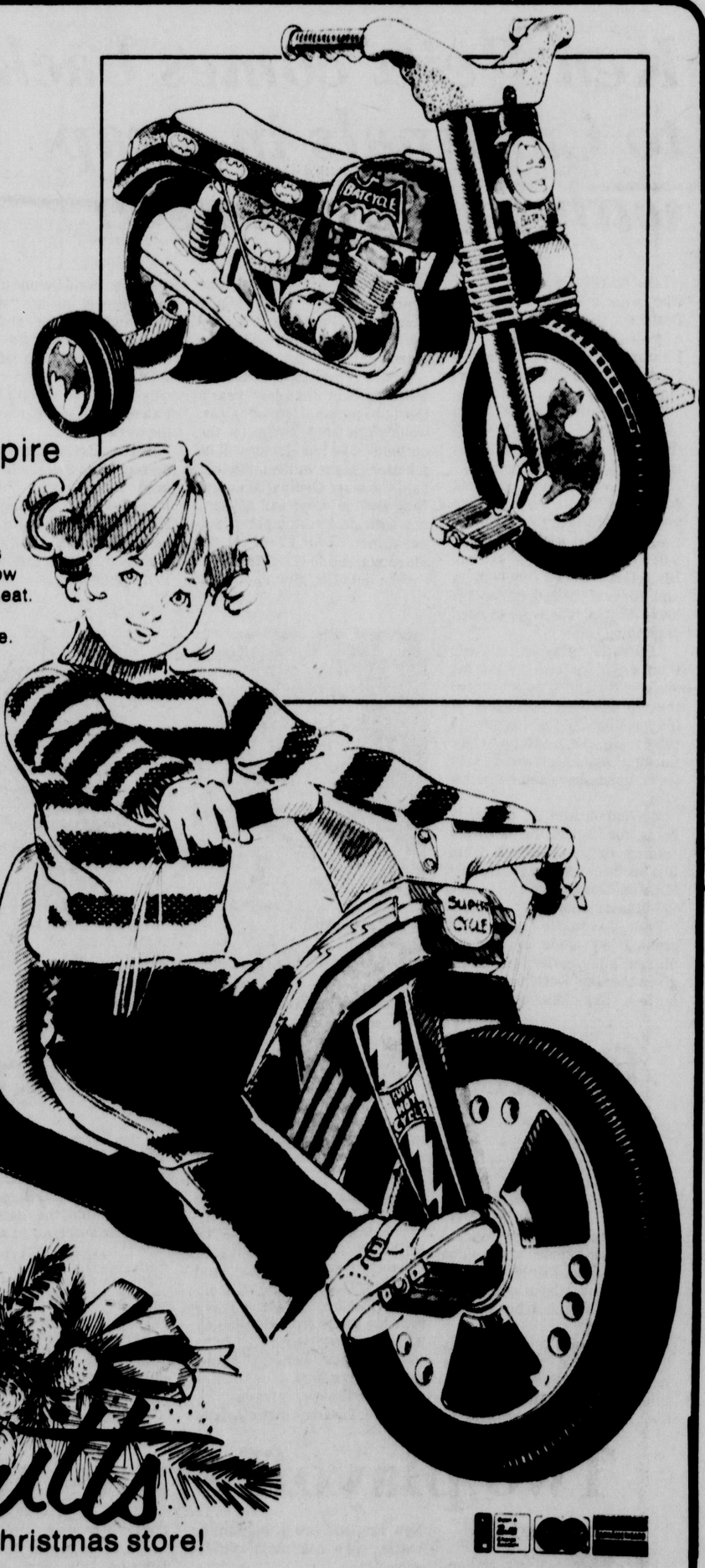

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Realignment proposal biggest result of talks

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Baseball's week-long winter meetings produced only sporadic trading action but did set in motion a scenario that could radically alter the look of the game within the next two years.

Under serious consideration are proposals that would create three divisions in each of the two leagues, an arrangement that would mirror the one used by the National Football League. The playoffs then would include the winners of each division plus a wild card team, creating an elimination-type tournament to produce the World Series opponents.

The meetings also almost certainly assured the return of major league baseball to Washington, D.C. through one of several methods. Baseball would lead you to believe that it prefers a plan whereby the Baltimore Orioles would play a portion of their games in the nations's capital. But that idea has been kicking around for some time and is unlikely to be the final solution to the Washington dilemma.

That's why there are two contingency plans available. Both involve the National League where any new Washington team will wind up. One agrees in principle to the transfer of an existing NL franchise to Washington and, if that does not materialize, the other clears the way for an American League team to switch to the NL and move into the nation's capital.

A switch of a team from one league to another would be unprecedented in modern baseball and if it happens, it also would create two 13-team leagues and inter-league play, another radical departure from tradition.

But tradition doesn't seem to matter as much today in baseball as it once did. The development of the free agent escape hatch has left players as virtual transients, free to move elsewhere.

Oakland owner Charles O. Finley, who lost six of his best players through that route, shook up the convention by divulging the contract terms their new clubs had given ex-A's Joe Rudi, Don Baylor, Sal Bando, Bert Campaneris, Gene Tenace and Rollie Fingers. The numbers added up to an awesome $9.2 million.

There were 14 deals involving 40 players completed at the meetings. And every time a deal was made, one of the first questions asked was whether the participants are signed for next season. Even when they were, that didn't guarantee delivery.

There was, for example, the strange George Scott affair.

Traded by Milwaukee along with outfielder Bernie Carbo to Boston in exchange for first baseman Cecil Cooper, Scott balked at the deal, demanding that the Red Sox renegotiate his contract. He had already signed for 1977.

The Sox were willing to renegotiate, but Scott's agent, Gary Walker, told them he would recommend that the slugging first baseman reject their final offer. At that point, it seemed, the deal would be voided. But then Scott ignored his agent's advice and agreed to terms. Does Waker still get 10 per cent in that case?

For Scott and Carbo, the trade meant a return to Boston. Two other deals also restored players to their former teams. Veteran designated hitter Rico Carty returned to Cleveland in a swap that sent catcher Rick Cerone and utilityman John Lowenstein to the expansion Toronto Blue Jays, and third baseman Ken Reitz, traded from St. Louis to San Francisco at these meetings a year ago, returned to the Cardinals in a deal that brought right-hander Lynn McGlothen to the Giants.

Some to the week's other signigicant trades included:

—Atlanta acquiring outfielder Jeff Burroughs, a former American League Most Valuable Player, from Texas for outfielders Ken Henderson and Dave May, pitchers Carl Morton, Roger Moret and Adrian Devine and an undisclosed amount of cash.

—San Diego getting outfielder George Hendrick from Cleveland for outfielder John Grubb, catcher Fred Kendall and shortstop Hector Torres.

—Pittsburgh obtaining reliever Grant Jackson from Seattle for infielders Craig Reynolds and Jimmy Sexton.

—Kansas City trading infielder Jamie Quirk, outfielder Jim Wohlford and a player to be named later to Milwaukee for pitcher Jim Colborn and catcher Darrell Porter.

Some clubs tried to deal right up until the Friday midnight PST deadline. Pittsburgh spent most of the night in the lobby and finally swung one of the week's biggest trades, acquiring pitchers Rich Gossage and Terry Forster from the Chicago White Sox in exchange for outfielder Richie Zisk and minor league pitcher Silvio Martinez.

Some teams tried, but missed. The New York Yankees, who came here searching for a shortstop were talking right to the end before leaving without any new faces.

Sportsman's Calendar

6. SPORTSMAN'S CALENDAR

	OPENS	CLOSES	BAG LIMIT (Daily-Possession)
	HUNTING		
Groundhogs, Coyotes	Now Open	No Closed Season	Unlimited
Squirrels	Now Open	Dec. 31	6-12
Rabbits	Now Open	Feb. 15	6-12
Deer (Archery)	Now Open	Dec. 31	1/Season
Ducks	Dec. 26	Jan. 3	Point System
Geese	Now Open	Varies	See Regulations
Quail	Now Open	Jan. 15	8-16
Crows	Now Open	March 13	No Limit
Pheasants (In Legal Areas)	Now Open	Dec. 31	1-2 (Male)
	FISHING		
Impoundments (All Species)	Now Open	No Closed Season	See Wildlife Code
Ozark Streams (Largemouth, Smallmouth, Spotted Bass)	Now Open	Feb. 28	See Wildlife Code
Trout Management Areas (Stamp Required)	Now Open	No Closed Season	See Wildlife Code
Walleye & Sauger	See Wildlife Code	See Wildlife Code	See Wildlife Code
Trout Parks	March 1	Now Closed	5-10
Non-Game Fish (Snagging, Snaring, etc.)	Now Open	Dec. 31	See Wildlife Code
Paddlefish (Snagging)	Now Open	Dec. 31	2-2
Bennett Springs (Weekends)	Now Open	Feb. 20	Fish For Fun

Hornets slip past Notre Dame 62-60

ADVANCE— Advance held off a fourth-quarter surge by Notre Dame of Cape Girardeau to take a 62-60 win over the Bulldogs Friday night.

The Hornets, who ran their record to 8-1, led by 11 points in the third quarter, but allowed Notre Dame to battle back in the fourth period with 23 points. The Bulldogs never led, and the two-point deficit they faced at the end of the game aws their smallest since the first quarter.

Advance got a 20-point performance from senior forward Steve Vavak, while junior Mark "Stick" Robins added 19. Ed Goodson topped the Bulldogs with 20 points, while Steve Fels added 12 and Rick Dohogne 10.

Advance meets Matthews in a big Class A battle Tuesday night at Advance.

ADVANCE (62)
Vavak 20, Robins 19, Daniels 4, Wheatley 4, Dunnivan 6, Tidwell 9. Totals: FG-23; FT-16; PF-14.

NOTRE AME (60)
Blattell 7, Dohogne 10, Fels 12, VanWeelden 2, Goodson 20, Meystedt 1, Welter 8. Totals: FG-25; FT-10; PF-19.

Score by Quarters:

Advance	14	12	19	17	--62
Notre Dame	11	7	19	23	--60

Irish top UCLA

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Freshman Rich Branning scored four points in the last 45 seconds to lead seventh-ranked Notre Dame to an upset 66-63 college basketball victory over the third-ranked UCLA Bruins at Pauley Pavilion Saturday.

UCLA did not score during the last six minutes of the game, holding a 63-60 lead at that point.

The Bruins went into a stall offense with 2:17 remaining when David Greenwood was fouled by Dave Batton.

Greenwood missed the first of a one-and-one foul situation. Notre Dame recovered the rebound and Branning drove around Bruin guard Brad Holland for a layup, giving Notre Dame the lead, 64-63, with 45 seconds remaining.

New Madrid wins from foul stripe

GIDEON— The Gideon Bulldogs outscored the New Madrid Indians, 46-40, from the floor Friday night, but was outscored 12-3 from the charity stripe as the Indians won a hard-fought New Madrid County Conference contest from the Bulldogs, 52'49.

New Madrid was whistled for 11 personal fouls while Gideon was called for 28. This difference prompted Gideon coach Gerald Murphy to say, "I can't understand how a team that plays the aggressive man-to-man defense, like New Madrid, can commit 17 fewer fouls than their opponent."

Actually, it could have been worse, as the Indians could only take advantage of their opportunity by hitting a dismal 12-31 free throws for a 39 per cent accuracy raging.

The Indians built up a 30-20 halftime lead only to see the host Bulldogs come storming back in the second half to make the contest close.

Lee Hunter, a 6'-0" forward led the Indians in scoring with a 21 point performance and teammate Chris Tanner chipped in 14.

Jeff Berry had 18 to lead the Bulldogs who only placed one other starter in double figures.

NEW MADRID (52)
Gist 2, Hunter 21, Robinson 9, Tanner 14, Humphrey 6. Totals: FG-20; FT-12; PF-11.

GIDEON (49)
Hart 4, Jeff Berry 18, Winston 7, Campbell 10, Nettles 8, Hicks 2. Totals: FG-23; FT-3; PF-28.

Score by Quarters:

N. Madrid	12	18	11	11	--52
Gideon	8	12	12	17	--49

Twin Rivers wins OFC Tournament

NAYLOR— The Twin Rivers Royals behind the 29 point effort of Mark Lance outscored Neelyville in every quarter except the fourth, but by then the outcome was decided, to take the championship in the finals of the Ozark Foothills Conference Tournament, 77-57.

Lance had a fine supporting cast as three teammates joined him in the double digit column.

Neelyville trailed by 17 at the end of the first half and were never in the game in the second half. The Tigers placed three men in double figures.

Lance came into the game Friday night averaging close to 29 points a contest and he continued his high scoring on the season as he clipped the nets right at that average.

The championship contest in jayvee action as won by Naylor as they beat the Twin Rivers Royals, 51-49, in a close contest.

TWIN RIVERS (77)
Lance 29, Kennedy 6, Knodell 14, Nelson 10, Janes 6, Moffitt 12. Totals: FG-37; FT-3; PF-22.

NEELYVILLE (57)
Jones 8, Patty 12, Boyan 14, Hill 8, Parrish 2, Robinson 13. Totals: FG-23; FT-11; PF-10.

Score by Quarters:

Tw. Rivers	18	21	16	20	--77
Neelyville	12	11	13	21	--57

Area prep scores

ZALMA (62)
Burchett 21, Simmers 11, Barrett 5, West 20, Lineberry 7. TOTALS: FG---20; FT---22; PF---18.

CLEARWATER (87)
Leuddecke 30, Brown 4, Kesinger 6, Waites 26, Evans 12, Parker 3, Haggett 2, Kaiser 2, Atnip 2. TOTALS: FG---37; FT---13; PF---28.

Score by Quarters:

Zalma	3	19	20	20	62
Clearwater	17	14	21	35	87

HAYTI (48)
Calley 17, Hunt 9, Robinson 9, Barringer 8, Smith 4, Maxwell 1. TOTALS: FG---20; FT---8; PF---8.

ARMOREL, ARK. (47)
Lewis 20, Stringer 10, Fisher 8, Sanders 5, Garrison 2, Blair 2. TOTALS: FG---22; FT---3; PF---8.

Score by Quarters:

Hayti	7	15	18	8	48
Armorel	8	19	10	10	47

BELL CITY (89)
Moslly 2, Weeks 12, Watkins 12, Surface 4, Niemcyk 35, Byrd 13, Kinder 3, Henry 1, Austin 4, Jackson 2. TOTALS: FG---37; FT---15; PF---29.

BERNIE (55)
Pointer 5, Walker 4, Carson 19, White 5, Slinkard 8, Macklin 11, Walker 3. TOTALS: FG---17; FT---20; PF---23.

Score by Quarters:

Bell City	14	23	31	21	89
Bernie	9	15	12	19	55

DELTA C-7 (75)
Rose 20, Ward 12, T. Mead 21, Riley 4, Bryant 2, Tidwell 8, W. Mead 2, Jackson 6, TOTALS: FG---29; FT---17; PF---19.

SOUTH PEMISCOT (50)
Driskill 4, Spencer 14, C. Jones 6, Woody 6. J. Jones 8, Prody 12. TOTALS: FG---19; FT---12; PF---15.

Score by Quarters:

Delta C-7	24	17	16	17	75
S. Pemsicot	12	14	14	10	50

DEXTER (71)
Dowdy 10, Miller 38, Espey 13, Cox 4, Williams 6. TOTALS: FG---32; FT---6; PF---12.

DONIPHAN (70)
Hunt 6, Thompson 17, Murray 26, Spell 2, Johnson 8, Brumitt 9, Chambers 2 TOTALS: FG---29; FT---12; PF---16.

Score by Quarters:

Dexter	20	13	18	20	71
Doniphan	20	23	16	11	70

ILLMO-SCOTT CITY (64)
Springs 6, Littlepage 5, Heuring 9, Campbell 6, Amos 18, Miller 9, Diebold 6, McMillan 4, Cotner 1. TOTALS: FG---29; FT---6; PF---17.

ORAN (46)
Burlison 3, Wilson 15, Walter 7, R. Friga 2, Hamm 4, Eftink 11, Sauceda 2, M. Friga 2. TOTALS: FG---17; FT---12; PF---214.

Score by Quarters:

I-SC	17	15	18	14	64
Oran	10	9	10	17	46

NORTH PEMISCOT (72)
Jennings 18, Ball 9, Wilson 11, Parchell 2, Walls 16, McHugh 10, Dunbar 2, Nowell 2, Lee 2. TOTALS: FG---29; FT---14; PF---27.

PARMA (71)
Beard 13, Matlock 1, Payne 3, Perkins 9, Thatch 18, Wright 25, De. Thatch 2. TOTALS: FG---27; FT---17; PF---28.

Score by Quarters:

N. P.	18	22	12	20	72
Parma	18	21	10	22	71

HOLCOMB (78)
Burr 16, Meadows 13, Jarrett 19, Scott 12, Murdock 4, Bulla 14 TOTALS: FG---28; FT---22; PF---21.

COOTER (63)
D. Jones 20, Paty 9, B. Jones 11, Barger 3, Burton 14, Jernigan 2, Morris 5. TOTALS: FG---24; FT---15; PF---18.

Score by Quarters:

Holcomb	18	25	16	19	78
Cooter	12	17	16	18	63

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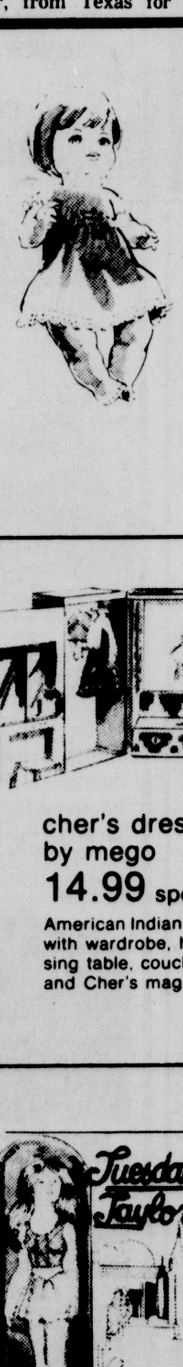

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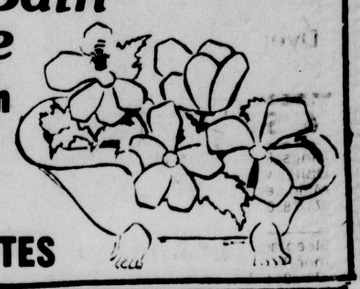

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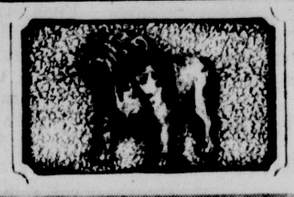

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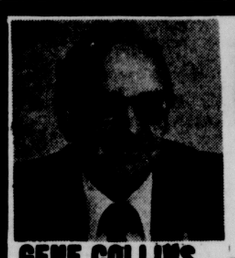

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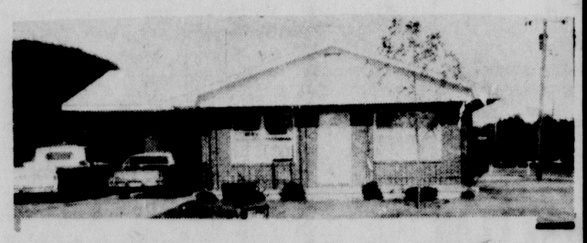

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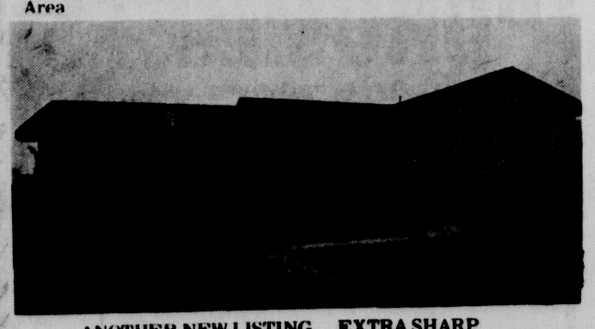

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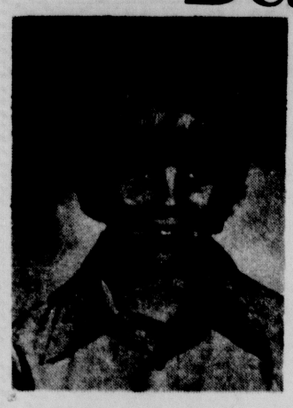

Darin Andrew

MATTHEWS — Darin Andrew, 11-year- old son of Charles and Lois Sifford Andrew, died at noon Friday in St. Jude Hospital and Medical Research Center in Memphis, Tenn.

He was born June 3, 1965 in Cape Girardeau, and was a sixth-grade pupil in Matthews Elementary School at Matthews.

Physicians at St. Jude Hospital had diagnosed his illness as acute aplastic anemia, for which there is no known successful treatment or cure. He had been undergoing treatment, both as an in-patient and out-patient since the illness was diagnosed on Aug. 26. During those intervals when he was able to be at home, he attempted to attend his sixth-grade classes reguarly.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by one brother, David Andrew of Matthews and a maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ed Sifford of Bloomfield.

Friends may call at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel in Sikeston where services will be conducted at 2 p.m. today with the revs. Doug Milliron, pastor of the Matthews Christian Church and Robert Cates of Milan, Tenn. officiating.

Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Jimmy Parker, Mitchell Vann, Timmy Daniels, David Vaughn, Steve DeWitt and Doug Scott.

Ivan M. Hess

CHARLESTON — Pallbearers at services conducted Friday for Ivan M. "Tommy" Hess, 46, who died Wednesday, were Phil Atteberry, William Kobler, Jim Moran, Leather Black, Leslie Fox and Rex Rister.

Beverly Hale

EAST PRAIRIE — Pallbearers at services conducted Saturday for Beverly Hale, 79, who died Thursday, were Randall Webb, Frankie Tatum, Warren Carpenter, David Webb, Steve Beckman and Floyd Bement.

Florence Hambrick

BERTRAND— Mrs. Florence M. Hambrick, 73, died at 12:30 p.m. Saturday in Bertrand Nursing Home where she had lived for the past four months.

She was born Aug. 31, 1903 in Harlem, Ga. to the late Robert and Nellie Young McBurney.

Her husband, Harry R. Hambrick Sr. died May 2, 1970.

Survivors include two sons: Harry Hambrick Jr. and Robert Hambrick of Sikeston; one daughter, Mrs. William H. (Virginia Ruth) Dozier of Fort Wayne, Ind.; two brothers, L. W. and Dykins McBurney of Augusta, Ga.; three sisters, Louise Cummings, Evelyn Baggett and Lura Bunch of Augusta; and seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Crews-Welsh Funeral Home where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Monday with the Rev. Paul Walker, pastor of First Christian Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Mary Hannah Morse

ESSEX— Mrs. Mary Hannah Morse, 70, was dead on arrival Thursday at Dexter Memorial Hospital.

She was born Dec. 19, 1905 in Saline County, Ill., and had lived in Stoddard County for a number of years.

On July 9, 1936 at Rombauer she married Charles Morse, who survives.

Other survivors include: one son, Charles Edward Morse of Flint, Mich.; three daughters, Mrs. Bertha Chafey of Tulsa, Okla., Mrs. Beulah McCain of Pine Bluff, Ark. and Mrs. Betty Piper of Metropolis, Ill.; two stepsons, Edgar Morse of Seattle, Wash. and Joe Morse of Flint; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Irene Page of Winona and Mrs. Beulah Fair of St. Louis; and five grandchildren, 10 step-grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Services were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday at Rainey Funeral Home in Dexter.

Burial followed in the Essex Cemetery.

Adding machine stolen at clinic

NEW MADRID — An adding machine was stolen sometime Thursday night or Friday morning in a breakin at Delta Veterinary Clinic on Highway 61 one mile south of Sikeston and a rural Portageville man reported that assorted tools and an undetermined amount of gasoline had been stolen from the bed of his pickup truck Thursday night, the New Madrid County Sheriff's Department reported Saturday.

The Veterinary building had been entered by prying open a back door.

Melvin Graham of Route Two said assorted tools and an unknown quantity of gasoline in a shortage tank on his truck were stolen while the truck was parked at his home.

RICHMOND, Va. (AP) — A sculpture by American artist Isamu Noguchi has recently been acquired by the Virginia Museum. The sculpture, "Open Lock," was completed in 1964. It is made of polished stainless steel and stands nearly three feet tall.

Entering Florida

Following a snow fall Mr. and Mrs. Danny Howland and son, Shayne, 6, ride this 1812 cutter along the road near Florida, Mass., sign. The Howland's found the cutter stored in an old barn in Keene, N.H. (AP Wirephoto)

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had not talked with authorities about the planned killing because she loved Holt.

She denied pressuring Holt for a divorce or to kill his deeply religious wife, adding that she tried to call Jackson Nov. 23 at the Holt home to stop the killing.

When she couldn't reach her cousin, "I prayed," Miss McAllister testified.

Jackson contradicted her testimony about the telephone call just before the killing, saying, "I can't remember her (Miss McAllister) saying anything but 'Don't miss.'"

He acknowledged not answering a second phone call to the home while waiting for Mrs. Holt.

Jackson described how Holt had picked him up the night of the shooting and took him to his (Holt's) home, with the grocer showing him what to do and describing his wife's routine on entering the house.

Jackson said he grew scared waiting for Mrs. Holt and, after she entered, "I started to jump out and tell her the whole thing, but I believed she wouldn't believe me."

He testified that he shot her (a coroner's report said four times) in the back while she was stooped over a pet dog.

He said he then fled instead of burning the house as Holt had planned.

Asked why he committed the killing, Jackson said for the money, but added that Holt afterward "told me he'd tear up my grocery bill."

Saying he had discussed the slaying plan with friends, his father and his wife, Jackson described the Holts as friends.

"To tell you the truth about it, Joy was my friend, even more than Eugene," he testified.

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The patrol said a station wagon which ran out of gas was parked on the shoulder of the road facing south and was struck from behind by a car driven south by Angelo D. Mouhalis, 56, of Hayti.

Mouhalis was taken to Pemiscot Medical Center at Hayti for treatment of minor injuries.

A collision at 1:50 a.m. one-and-a-half miles north of Chaffee on Route M in Scott County between a pickup truck and a car caused serious injuries to the truck driver. Two passengers in the truck sustained minor injuries.

The patrol said the accident occurred when the truck, being driven south at a high rate of speed by Anthony Dale Cowell, 22, of Benton Route One, went off the west side of the roadway, struck a railroad gate, then continued into the north lane and sideswiped a northbound car driven by Deborah Darlene Wilfawn, 18, of Scott City.

Cowell and passengers, Roger Dale Whorton, 25, of Morley and Barbara June Bryant, 18, of Benton Route One were taken to St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau.

A single-vehicle accident at 8:05 a.m. on Route W two miles north of Poplar Bluff caused moderate injuries to a Poplar Bluff woman.

A car driven south by Helen Katherine St. Clair, 27, of Poplar Bluff skidded on a patch of ice at the end of a bridge, causing her to lose control. The car ran off an embankment on the south side of the road. A passenger, Mary Speakman, 53, of Poplar Bluff was taken to Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff for treatment of moderate injuries.

A pickup truck-car accident at 12:45 p.m. on Highway 77 in the south city limits of Chaffee caused minor injuries to both drivers.

The patrol said a car driven north by Rose Mary Ross, 41, of Chaffee Route One and a pickup driven south by Earl Battel, 48, of Chaffee Route One collided headon when the Ross woman failed to yield the right-of-way and made a left turn in front of the truck.

Battel was taken to Chaffee General Hospital and the Ross woman was taken to St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau.

Saffron is the most expensive of all spices. It is the stigma of a purple-flowered crocus and when dried, develops its deep orange color and aromatic flavor.

Charleston CD pre-application under review

EAST PRAIRIE — City Manager Frank Carter informed the City Council Thursday night that the city's pre-application for next year's community Development block grant program has been forwarded to the Bootheel Regional Planning Commission of review by the A-95 committee.

Carter said the application for $400,000 will then be forwarded to the Department of Housing and Urban Development for approval.

Areas designated for the anticipated funds for the coming year includes $200,000 for street improvements; $100,000 to complete the storm sewer project; and $100,000 for housing rehabilitation.

Following discussion, the council accepted the proposal from Webb Service Agency for a blanket-policy insurance coverage.

The coverage would include liability, workmen compensation, and fire at a cost of $12,360 per year.

The council voted to give each city employe a turkey for Christmas.

In routine action, the council approved the collector's report of $46,694.87 for November; police judge report showing $348 in assessed fines; and accounts payable in the amount of $5,847.04.

Additional daily record

MAGISTRATE COURT

NEW MADRID— Henry James Holloman has been bound over to New Madrid County Circuit Court for trial on a charge of possession of stolen property following a preliminary hearing before Judge John R. Bailey in which testimony was heard from Howardville marshal Robert E. Young. Holloman was released on his own recognizance.

Misdemeanor fines

Cleotha Johnson, failure to stop for school bus, $30 and allowed one month to pay; Eugene Henry Miller, expired license, $20; Martha Gale Higgs, improper registration, $20; Bernice Thomas, driving while intoxicated (second offense) 30-day jail sentence suspended subject to defendant's compliance with Missouri motor vehicle laws, and speeding, $20 plus $15 costs.

William Earl Jackson, careless and imprudent driving, $25 and allowed one week to pay; Timothy Bryant Ruffin, overwidth vehicle, $20; Franklin James Catron, failure to transfer license, $20; Roosevelt Quinn, hunting from a motor vehicle and hunting without a permit, $25; and Bonita Fay Reynolds, expired operator's license, $20.

Bad check

Marcia Parker, cheat and defraud upon complaint of Virgil L. Oliver, $25 fine stayed upon payment of $25 costs.

Bonds forfeited

Hughie G. Milner and Doris Lynette Robinson failed to appear on speeding charges and $37 bond posted by each were ordered forfeited.

Speeding fines

Perry Carter Gooch, $50; Jimmy L. Fisher, $46; Ronald R. Roark and Brady Walker, $42 each; William M. Meeks, $40; James Paul Earthely, $39; Harriett H. Radcliffe, $38; Dolores Ruth Ketner, Robin Lynn Hunt and Danny Lee Long, $37 each; Thomas Richard Serth, $36; Norma J. Estes and Desmond Ell Becker, $35 each; Gary Autrey Riggs and Elmer Simeon Richardet, $34 each; Daniel J. Amos, William Edgar Story and Dolivan G. Roberts, $33 each; Joe John Lampe, Freddy Joe Weber and Farrell Wayne Bewley, $32 each; Charles J. Wakefield, Charles Henry Kamps and Cynthia Jane Davis, $31 each.

POLICE COURT

EAST PRAIRIE— Fines and punishment imposed this week by Police Judge Joel Savell included: George Bankhead, Steven Lloyd and Lloyd Rankin, careless and heedless driving, $25 each; William Ahlfield, public intoxication, $25 fine stayed on condition defendant remain out of town 30 days.

Carol E. Stuart and Angel Carlyle, petit larceny, $25, fines each stayed and charges dropped by McDonald's Food Mart on condition Christmas trees were paid for. Both were placed on 90-day probation.

EMERGENCY PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released Friday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community Hospital, were:

Race Minner, 7, of Charleston, cut back of head in a fall; Donna Huddleston, 21, of Essex, injured rib cage in a fall; Gary Moore, 24, of Sikeston, injured finger at work; Carrie Duncan, 16, of Matthews, bruised shoulder in a fall.

Melinda Thompson, 13, of Sikeston, injured tail bone in fall; Heather Graham, 1, of New Madrid, sprained thumb in a fall; Charles Fisher, 25 of Portageville, bruised foot when object dropped on it; Richard Glass, 15, of Sikeston, cut lip.

Lisa Washer, 10, of Charleston, injured finger on wheelchair; Jimmie Dale Hicks, 18, of Sikeston, cut scalp in car accident; Dianne Smith, 15, of Sikeston, sprained knee at school; Nancy Jenkins, 16, of Sikeston, bruised scalp in fall; and John Morris, 42, of St. Louis, strained shoulder in car accident.

MAGISTRATE COURT
Civil Cases

CHARLESTON — An unlawful detainer suit filed by Jacob and Betty Myres, against Orvil Britt, was dismissed with prejudice at cost of plaintiff.

A damage suit for $393.80, filed by Dewayne Coots against Danny and Deborah Lee Bickings was continued to Jan. 6.

An account suit for $107.60, filed by East Prairie Lumber Co. against Royce Mix, was set for trial Dec. 16.

An account suit for $1,908.72, filed by Disco Distributing Co. against James O'Dell Refrigeration of East Prairie, was ordered transferred to Circuit Court on a motion by the defendant for change of venue.

Dismissed without prejudice for failure to prosecute was an account suit in the amount of $1,002.84 filed by Primrose Oil Co. against Bruce and Lonnie Childress.

Judge Banta overruled a motion by the defense to quash, dissolve attachment and dismiss in an attachment suit filed by John H. and Lettie Dowdy against Thomas Grassham. The plaintiff was granted leave to filed an amendment affidavit.

A promissory note suit, filed by Bollinger County Bank against Gertrude McGee Kennedy, will be dismissed for failure to prosecute if not heard by Jan. 6, 1977, the judge ruled.

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Mr. & Mrs. Charles Hawkins

MATTHEWS — A machine repair shop and a machine storage shed pay for themselves in improved efficiency and longer machine life, according to Charles Hawkins of Matthews.

Hawkins operates a 1,050-acre cotton and grain farm in New Madrid County. He owns 160 acres and rents the rest.

The machine shop allows Hawkins to do most of the repair work on his tractors, combines, and other equipment.

"We do everything except work on diesel pumps and injectors," he said.

The slack time on the crop farm during the winter is spent working on machinery. "It cuts down time in the field, because when spring comes, we're ready to go. Everything is ready."

Putting the machinery in storage during the winter adds an estimated 30 per cent to the life of a combine, Hawkins said.

In recognition of their farming ability, Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins have been named to receive a farm management award given by the Extension Division of the University of Missouri-Columbia.

The Hawkinses have one daughter, Lisa Lea, 13.

Ed Constein, extension agricultural engineer from the University of Missouri-Columbia, visited the Hawkins farm as part of the selection committee. He said, "Charles makes good use of his machine shop and storage buildings. His maintenance program is a definite asset to his farming operation."

It took Hawkins some time to get the machine shed. "I started making plans for it in 1964," he said. "I went around and looked at a lot of shops."

"That was back before these new steel buildings were available," he said. "Besides, we just didn't have the money to buy one," he added.

With the help of his hired hands, Hawkins tore down old houses and buildings on his landlord's farms in return for the lumber. With these materials, they built the sheds. The shop was completed in 1967 and the storage shed in 1968.

"I bought the rafters for the storage shed, everything else in salvage material," he pointed out.

By having the machine shop, Hawkins can make more efficient use of his hired farm labor during the winter months. "That's putting labor to good use instead of just creating jobs," he said.

Workers have been trained to work on all of the equipment. "They can tear it down to get ready for repairs," he said.

By paying attention to repairs and keeping it in out of the weather, Hawkins expects to get 10 years use out of a combine. "I just can't afford to go out and buy a $35,000 combine every four or five years," Hawkins said.

Richard McIntosh, area extension farm management specilist, said, "Someone who doesn't take care of them and stay on top of repairs, starts thinking about trading combines in the neighborhood of five years."

Hawkins said, "I like new paint as well as anyone, but if the combine holds up, I'll keep it 10 years anyway."

"That's a different philosophy of buying and caring for equipment than a lot of people have," McIntosh said.

Hawkins has been slow about going to the biggest machinery available. "I've got the idea that you can get machinery that's too big," he said.

In his cropping system, this year, Hawkins raised 225 acres of cotton, 400 acres of soybeans, 300 acres of wheat, and 205 acres of popcorn.

Much of the wheat land was double cropped with soybeans.

Hawkins says there are several advantages to growing the speciality crop, popcorn. "It lets me start harvesting early. I don't have drying problems, because it dries down real fast in the field."

With popcorn, Hawkins doesn't have the bulk and volume to handle that he would have with field corn.

Popcorn also adds some stability to his grain marketing. "I forward contract the crop, so I know what I'm going to get for it," he added.

"But it has it's drawbacks," Hawkins added, "with the later planting, you have a problem with corn borer. I didn't lose any, but if we'd had one storm, I would have."

This fall Hawkins has reduced his wheat acreage. "I was going to go back with a lot of wheat, but it just got too cheap. You can get $35 an acre tied up in it. You can't afford that with wheat bringing $2.25."

Hawkins has been putting his farm ground to grade to improve drainage and to allow irrigation.

Hawkins figures his first land grading paid for itself in the first year with increased yields. "It used to be one of the worst pothole farms. It ran from a ridge to a hole, a ridge to a hole. It was unbelievable."

"One field, I planted four times. Everytime we'd get a rain, we lost the stand in the holes and would have to replant."

"Land grading has been one of the best investments I ever made," Hawkins said.

This year, Hawkins put another 85 acres to grade. He figures the increased yields have already more than half paid for the work.

The newly graded field made 28.5 bushels of soybeans while a field across the road made only 17 bushels. "That's more than a 10-bushel increase that can go toward paying for the grading," Hawkins said.

"The beans didn't do as well as I expected," Hawkins said. "But you don't get your best yield the first year after grading," he added.

For drying his grain, Hawkins has a Shivvers in-bin system. High moisture grain is added to the bin and hot air is forced up through the bottom. Temperature activated switches turn on a sweep auger in the bottom of the bin when the grain is dry. The dry grain is transported to an adjacent bin to cool down. As new high moisture grain is lowered to the bottom of the bin, the temperature switches automatically stop the unloading.

"I bought the first one in this area," Hawkins said. "I'm sure glad I did."

To haul the grain from the fields to the bins, Hawkins uses four 300-bushel self-unloading grain wagons. He has found the wagons to be less expensive to maintain than grain trucks. "The upkeep, licensing, and insurance on trucks is awfully high," he pointed out.

Mr. & Mrs. Wallace Peebles

EAST PRAIRIE — Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Peebles live near East Prairie, in the Pinhook community. Wallace and Maudest have two children, Katy, age 18, who is a freshman at Murray State College in Murray, Kentucky, and Robert, age 16, who is a Junior at East Prairie High School.

The Peebles began farming in 1949. They operate a 636-acre row crop farm. For the past several years, they have produced about 570 acres of single and double crop soybeans, 100 acres of wheat, and 65 acres of cotton. Some years, grain sorghum is produced for rotation purposes. For the past two years, no-till soybeans behind wheat has been quite successful.

A few years ago, most of the acreage the Peebles farm was heavily infested with Johnsongrass. Peebles had made big strides toward cleaning up this problem even before some of the current Johnsongrass herbicides became available.

Over the years, Peebles demonstrated that with with good management and a lot of hard work even problem farms could be cleaned up.

He decided several years ago that grain storage was profitable. He said his facility paid for itself in two years. He has found that it simplifies harvest, reduces his harvesting losses, and eliminates the need for trucks at harvest time. Consequently, he doesn't even own a big grain truck. He has found it more economical to have his grain custom hauled to market from his storage bins.

With grain storage facilities, he has been able to develop a grain marketing plan which meets his goals.

Wallace says he prefers to forward price about one third of his crop (sometimes for delivery after harvest), to sell about one third at harvest, and to store the remaining one third for sale some time later.

The Peebles are active members of the First Christian Church in East Prairie. Maudest is a Sunday School teacher and both she and Katy are Bible School teachers. Robert is a junior deacon.

One of the Peeble's family goals is for their children to complete their college education. However, more important than a college diploma is their belief and faith in God, faith in themselves, and belief in this nation. The Peebles do not plan to expand their farming operation unless Robert wants to farm after completing his college education.

Mr. & Mrs. Leon Schlitt

ORAN — Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schlitt live near Oran. The Schlitts have a diversified farming operation. Although row crops are their main enterprise, they also finish feeder pigs and feeder cattle. They own 207 acres and rent an additional 230 acres.

They normally produce from 200 to 300 acres of single and double crop soybeans, 50 to 100 acres of corn, 70 to 90 acres of wheat, 10 acres of cotton, as well as red clover for pasture and hay. Clover ground is normally planted to soybeans following the first cutting of hay.

Leon indicated that the number of feeder pigs finished fluctuates, depending upon home grown grain supplies and prospective profits. However, they normally finish 200 to 300 head of hogs and 35 head of cattle.

Over the years, the Schlitts have added to their on-the-farm grain storage facilities both so they could market their grain through liverstock, as well as market in an orderly fashion their soybeans.

Mr. and Mrs. Schlitt have three children, Kenneth, 23, a 1975 graduate of Southeast Missouri State University, Jolene, 21, secretary for SeMo Motor Company in Sikeston, and Donnie, 18, a freshman at Southeast Missouri State University this year. The Schlitts have accomplished two of the family goals they set for themselves. Those were to buy a farm and build a new home.

They have considered expanding their farming operation by expanding their cattle and hog feeding enterprises. The Schlitts have demonstrated that farming is a good occupation for those willing to work and do a good job of financial management.

The Schlitts are members of the Guardian Angel Church of Oran and the church organizations. Leon is president of the local school board, president of the Guardian Angel Credit Union and serves on the Agricultural Stabilization Conservation Service county committee.

James Miller Family

ST. LOUIS — Mr. and Mrs. James L. Miller of Dexter Route Two are state winners from Stoddard County in the East Missouri Farm Management Awards Program.

They were honored Thursday night at a dinner, in the Breckenridge Pavilion, where they received their award.

Jim and Karen were married in 1962 and have two children, Lori Ann, 12, and James Keith, 10.

The family belongs to second General Baptist Church in Dexter. Mrs. Miller is the 1977 neighborhood chairman for Girl Scouts, and both children are active in scouting programs. Miller has been on the Stoddard County Extension Council for six years and was president for three years.

Both he and Mrs. Miller are active in the Young Farmers Association, in which he is vice president of the Dexter chapter this year and Mrs. Miller is past historian and first vice president of the state Young Farm Wives Association.

The family also belongs to the 76'ers CB Club, an organization Miller serves as vice president.

The Millers own 256 acres and rent an additional 344 acres for a total farming operation of 600 acres. Three types of irrigation systems are used, including the central pivot, furrow and stationary big gun systems. Last year, yields were 365 pounds of lint cotton, 115 bushels of corn, 37 bushels of soybeans, including double cropped soybeans, and 40 bushels of wheat. Since 1973, the family has added 8,500 bushels of grain storage and drying facilities and constructed a new 50 by 90- foot machine shed and shop.

FOLK ART

WORCESTER, Mass. (AP) — The Worcester Art Museum recently acquired four oil portraits by American folk artist Erastus Salisbury Field (1805-1900).

The subjects of the portraits are Field's friends, Eleazar and Sibbel Cowles, and their daughters Maria and Louisa, done in 1837.

Mr. & Mrs. Don Lynn

ST. LOUIS — Mr. and Mrs. Don Lynn of Kennett, state winners from Dunklin County in the East Missouri Farm Management Awards Program, were honored Thursday night at a dinner in the Breckenridge Pavilion, where they received their award.

Don and Betty were married in 1956 and have four children, Cheryl, 18, David, 15, Damon, 9, and Jonathan, 6.

The family belongs to First Baptist Church in Kennett, where Mrs. Lynn teaches a class of 11th and 12th graders. She is also a Cub Scout den mother, and the family participates in scouting activities. Daughter Cheryl is a Senior Girl Scout.

Lynn is a member of the Dunklin County Extension Council. He is also on the Production Credit Association Advisory Board and is a member of the Dunklin County Farm Bureau.

For relaxation, the family enjoys camping, boating and other water sports.

Don and Betty started farming in 1957 by renting 80 acres of land. They now own 80 acres and rent 1,120 for a total operation of 1,200 acres. The Lynns produce approximately one bale of cotton per acre and 40 bushels of wheat, which is double cropped with soybeans for an average of 30 bushels of soybeans per acre.

The family also produces approximately 100 acres of watermelons with a production of about 15,000 pounds per acre. This operation takes the efforts and participation of the whole family.

Lynn has a 55-head cow-calf operation on 130 acres of pasture, and he uses the cows to forage on the land that produced crops in the summer to reduce winter feed costs.

Matches were sold in Hanchow, China from A.D. 970 and called "fire-inch-sticks". Marco Polo witnessed their use during his trip to China in the 13th century.

Area farmers take opportunity to do fall land preparation for '77

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Area Agronomy Specialist

BENTON — Normally farmers in Southeast Missouri do very little fall land preparation. It is not that they don't believe in this practice. The reason so little ground is prepared in the fall is because of excess moisture and delayed harvest. However, this fall has been and still is a different situation.

Many farmers have taken advantage of this opportunity to prepare most of their ground. Some fields of heavy soil are actually still too dry for much preparation. These type soilds do not require as much preparation as the mixed to clay laom type soils.

Many different soil types and situations are present in Scott County. The major textural classes are sand, sandy loam, silt loam, clay, and clay loam. The county is divided into approximately 70 per cent lowland and 30 per cent upland. Land preparation will be a little different in each situation.

Clay soils are located in the lowlands and creek bottoms. Clay soils require very little preparation. Actually, they are generally overworked. These soils tend to crack when dry and do not form a hardpan. Lowland soils of this type have produced highest yields with a minimum amount of preparation. One popular and highly recommended method is to leave the old row in the same place without disturbing it. This can be done with a hipper only or a ripper-hipper. Fall preparation is ideal on these soils. By spring planting time, another light hipping mav be necessary. This will depend on winter rainfall. If rainfall is heavy, fields will drain better if hipped-up. Freezing and thawing aids in mellowing these tight soils. Root penetration is more rapid when planted on old rows. The firm, moist seedbed is beneficial for rapid emergence.

For farmers who do not use hippers, another popular method is to disk and chisel one time. Additional disking or chiseling is generally not necessary or beneficial. Farmers with heavy soils bordering creeks that overflow will want to do very little fall preparation. Leave these soils rough and covered if possible to avoid water erosion.

Silt loam soils are located primarily in the upland area. These soils are subject to erosion and very little fall preparation can be done. It is best to leave these soils rough or covered with winter cover crop. Early spring disking, chiseling, or plowing are necessary. No-till also works good on these upland soils. Silt loam soils are bad to form a hardpan, especially if a disk is used a lot in preparation. Hardpans should be broken up by deep chiseling or breaking.

Most of the row crops are planted flat on the upland soils so hippers are not popular. The disk is quick and necessary on the farm, but a hardpan can be built up faster with a disk than any other tool, so don't use it any more than absolutely necessary.

Most of the new tractors have cabs that are heated so unless soils are too wet or frozen, they can do a bit of fall land preparation. Do not prepare soils when wet.

Scientists figure way to knock wild garlic out of red winer wheat

OMAHA, Neb. — Good news for growers of soft red winter wheat used in the milling of pastry: Scientists have figured out a way to knock wild garlic out of their wheat fields.

Paraquat will do the trick. "All we need is clearance for use of the herbicide on soft red winter wheat and to work out timing of application," said Elroy J. Peters, U.S. Department of Agriculture Agricultural Research Service agronomist at the University of Missouri-Columbia.

In a paper delivered this week at the North Central Wheat Control Conference, Peters and colleague Sam Lowance said paraquat applied at the rate of one pound an acre was "highly effective on wild garlic in Missouri trials."

They said detailed application recommendations had yet to be worked out, but farmers would probably find fall treatments most convenient.

"It looks like a good scheme would be to delay planting wheat until about Oct. 15 and to spray for wild garlic a day to two before planting," said Peters. "That's because the paraquat will kill the tops of other vegetation growing with the garlic."

The wild garlic control is an important breakthrough, because some growers had been docked as much as $2 a bushel two years ago for having garlic in their wheat. Even though the penalty isn't as great now, said Peters, it's still costly to growers.

"The garlic plant has aerial bulbelts that are almost the same size as wheat kernels," he explained. "It's almost impossible to separate the two at harvest."

The problem with garlic is that it comes equipped with hard shelled bulblets that grow under ground. About 30 per cent of them will sprout the first year; the rest gradually over five years. Besides, any new garlic that emerges produces bulblets that follow the same sprouting process. That's why growers have to keep after the garlic year after year.

If wheat and garlic are harvested together, the growers' only recourse (besides taking a cut in price) is to store the garlic and wheat for six months or use artificial heat to dry the garlic bulblets to a point where a conventional fanning will remove them.

Storage procedure, besides being expensive, are far from the perfect solution.

"Some studies indicate that garlic bublets were no longer viable after seven months-storage," said Peters. "However, in one test those aerial bulbelts remained viable for two years."

Scientists 'charge up' pesticides to droplets to remove the drift

COLUMBIA — Scientists here are "charging up" spray droplets in hopes of taking much of the drift out of pesticides.

"Our ultimate aim is safe, effective spraying--even under turbulent conditions," said David Smith, a U.S. Department of Agriculture Agricultural Research Service engineer.

Right now, he said, sprays contain droplets that range in diameter from one to two microns to several hundred microns. To give you an idea how small some of these droplets are, a human hair is 90 microns in diameter. It's the little drops that drift and hurt "non-target" plants or insects.

"Right now, the big drops overtake the small ones during spraying, brush them aside and keep going right on by," explained Carroll Goering, University of Missouri-Columbia agricultural engineer who is working with Smith on the project. "So we decided to electrically charge the droplets, so the big ones would pick the little ones up and keep them from drifting."

Smith, Goering and Dick Hoft (of the UMC electrical engineering department) designed and built a high voltage power supply that generates 15,000 volts at a frequency of 1,000 to 2,000 cycles per second.

The electric power is applied to a ring just below the spray nozzle and the droplets are charged as they come out of the sprayer.

So far, Smith and Goering have tested alternating current (AC) with only modest success. But they do feel that their "atomization" technique has some potential.

They are also testing piezoelectric crystals or plates that make a cantilivered vibrating beam. "We can control the frequency of this vibrating beam," said Smith, "and we are now testing different frequencies, etc., and their effect on atomization (droplet size distribution).

"Ultimately, we'd like just one droplet size in a spray. Then we could control the size and vary it for different insects, diseases and crops."

Smith and Goering are conducting research so that they will eventually be able to predict a farmer's spraying success by knowing the climatic conditions that exist in an area and the type equipment he is using.

"We hope to develop better guides for farmers and reduce possibilities of their getting into a drift damage situation," said Smith.

In earlier research, Smith, Goering and UMC atmospheric scientists examined a 20-year weather model to find the greatest amount of pesticide drift usually occurs between 12 noon and 6 p.m. Prevailing winds usually start to calm down around 6 p.m., and spray conditions keep getting better until midnight. They generally stay good, then, until about 9 the next morning.

"If drift reduction were the only criteria," said Goering, "night spraying would be far superior to day spraying."

Of course, there are some implications for the "night riders." They can't always see what they are doing and they can lose a little sleep.

The best compromise, said Goering and Smith, seems to be to spray in late evening or early morning.

Spot cotton prices still steady

HAYTI — Spot Cotton prices were mostly steady again during the week ending Dec. 3, reports Paul W. Karban, officer in charge of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service Cotton Classing Office in Hayti. Supplies of non-contracted cotton were low, and trading was generally light.

Mixed lots of grades 41 and higher, staples 34 and longer, miking 3.5 to 4.9, mostly sold for 74 to 76 cents per pound. Grades 51 and 42 brought 71 to 74.5 cents per pound. Lower quality grades of 43, 52 and 61 sold for 66 to 71 cents per pound.

Additional discounts were taken on cotton miking below the base range. Cotton in the mike range of 3.3 to 3.4 was discounted 200-300 points per pound, mikes of 3.0 to 3.2 were discounted 500 -600 points per pound and mikes of 2.9 and lower were discounted 800-900 points per pound.

About 12,000 samples were graded the previous week under the Smith-Doxey program, bringing the season's total to nearly 154,000 samples, just short of the Crop Reporting Board's estimate for Missouri of 155,000 bales.

The quality of classings again declined during the week. Only 10 per cent of last week's classings graded 41. Light spotted grades decreased slightly to 41 per cent, down from 45 per cent for the previous week. The full spotted group (23, 33, 43, 53) took a large increase to 37 per cent, up from 25 per cent.

Micronaire readings continued to drop under the base range. Forty-eight per cent of the samples classed miked below 3.5, compared to the 34 per cent of the previous week.

Total exports of cotton from the United States for the August-October period this season were 833,600 bales, an increase from the 809,200 bales exported through the same period last year and 506,700 bales of two years ago.

NYSE ups, downs

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the New York Stock Exchange stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percent of change regardless of volume

No securities trading below $2 are included. Net and percentage changes are the difference between last week's closing price and this week's closing price.

UPS

	name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1	Rohr Ind	6⅞	+ 2½	Up 57.1
2	Gen Develp	5⅞	+ 1½	Up 34.3
3	Amrep Corp	2	+ ½	Up 33.3
4	GlfMtg Rlty	2¼	+ ½	Up 28.6
5	Katy Ind	8	+ 1¾	Up 28.0
6	Sonesta	3½	+ ¾	Up 27.3
7	Unit Inns	5¾	+ 1⅛	Up 26.5
8	Ipco Hospit	5¾	+ 1⅛	Up 24.3
9	Deseret Ph	37⅝	+ 7¼	Up 23.9
10	Elgin Natl	20⅝	+ 3⅞	Up 23.1
11	Publick Ind	6¼	+ 1⅛	Up 22.0
12	BT Mtg Inv	2⅛	+ ⅜	Up 21.4
13	Contill Rlty	2⅛	+ ⅜	Up 21.4
14	Pueblo Int	2⅞	+ ½	Up 21.1
15	US Leasing	10¾	+ 1⅞	Up 21.1
16	Deltona Cp	4⅜	+ ¾	Up 20.7
17	Bandag Inc	18⅛	+ 3	Up 19.8
18	World Airw	4¾	+ ¾	Up 18.8
19	HudsBay A	18¼	+ 2⅞	Up 18.7
20	Schaefer Cp	7¼	+ 1⅛	Up 18.4
21	Am Medical	13	+ 2	Up 18.2
22	Rapid Amer	4⅞	+ ¾	Up 18.2
23	SavOn Drg	7¾	+ 1⅛	Up 18.0
24	Victor Com	7¾	+ 1⅛	Up 18.0
25	Fisher Sci	14	+ 2⅛	Up 17.9

DOWNS

	Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1	Bobbie Brks	3¼	— 1	Off 23.5
2	UnBrndpfA	11⅜	— 1½	Off 11.7
3	Hughes Tool	36½	— 3¾	Off 9.3
4	MtgeTr Am	3¾	— ⅜	Off 9.1
5	Triangl Ind	9	— ⅞	Off 8.9
6	UV Ind	32¼	— 2⅞	Off 8.2
7	ImpCpAm	16½	— 1⅜	Off 7.7
8	Wolver WW	4½	— ⅜	Off 7.7
9	Rowan Cos	28⅜	— 2⅛	Off 7.0
10	Data Genl	43	— 3⅛	Off 6.8
11	Copper Rge	18¼	— 1¼	Off 6.4
12	Chesebg P	24½	— 1⅝	Off 6.2
13	Leeds North	26⅜	— 1¾	Off 6.2
14	Hunt Chem	12	— ¾	Off 5.9
15	Justice Mtg	2	— ⅛	Off 5.9
16	Union Corp	6⅛	— ⅜	Off 5.8
17	Holly Sug	28½	— 1⅝	Off 5.4
18	ExCello	24⅜	— 1⅜	Off 5.3
19	Far WestFn	9	— ½	Off 5.3
20	Gamb Skog	22⅛	— 1¼	Off 5.3
21	Rockower	11⅛	— ⅝	Off 5.3
22	StudWorth	40¼	— 2¼	Off 5.3
23	Nthgate Ex	4⅜	— ¼	Off 5.1
24	Vetco Inc	19⅜	— 1	Off 4.9
25	Travelers	35⅛	— 1¾	Off 4.7

AMEX ups, downs

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the American Stock Exchange stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percent of change regardless of volume

No securities trading below $2 are included. Net and percentage changes are the difference between last week's closing price and this week's closing price.

UPS

	name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1	Pioneer Sy	2⅛	+ 1	Up 88.9
2	Un Invest	4¾	+ 2⅛	Up 81.0
3	Nat System	5⅞	+ 2¼	Up 62.1
4	UNatCppf	3⅜	+ 1¼	Up 58.8
5	Geon Ind	2⅛	+ ¾	Up 54.5
6	Chartr Med	5¾	+ 2	Up 53.3
7	KTel Intl	6¼	+ 1¾	Up 38.9
8	Fidelco Gth	2⅜	+ ⅝	Up 35.7
9	Mite Corp	7⅛	+ 1¾	Up 32.6
10	Horn&Har	5¾	+ 1⅜	Up 31.4
11	Foodrama	5¼	+ 1¼	Up 31.3
12	Garcia Corp	2⅛	+ ½	Up 30.8
13	Altamil Cp	6½	+ 1½	Up 30.0
14	KitMfg Co	3⅜	+ ¾	Up 28.6
15	Solitron	2¼	+ ½	Up 28.6
16	ElecAud Dy	2⅞	+ ⅝	Up 27.8
17	Kirby Exp	14½	+ 3⅛	Up 27.5
18	Silo Inc	5⅞	+ 1¼	Up 27.0
19	Dynalect Cp	4⅛	+ ⅞	Up 26.9
20	Weiman	2⅜	+ ½	Up 26.7
21	Lynch Corp	3¼	+ ⅝	Up 23.8
22	Dynell Elec	8⅝	+ 1⅝	Up 23.2
23	Piedmont In	2	+ ⅜	Up 23.1
24	Armin Cp	7⅜	+ 1⅜	Up 22.9
25	Veeco Instr	11⅝	+ 2⅛	Up 22.4

DOWNS

	Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1	Vintage Ent	2⅜	— ⅜	Off 13.6
2	Burgess Ind	3⅜	— ½	Off 12.9
3	Sealectro	2¾	— ⅜	Off 12.0
4	Genl Explor	4¾	— ⅝	Off 11.6
5	Sierracin	5¾	— ¾	Off 11.5
6	LogiconInc	6⅞	— ⅞	Off 11.3
7	Nat Spinng	2¼	— ¼	Off 10.0
8	UV Ind wt	4¾	— ½	Off 9.5
9	Spector Ind	6⅛	— ⅝	Off 9.3
10	Bodin App	5	— ½	Off 9.1
11	Prud Group	3¾	— ⅜	Off 9.1
12	Rocor Intl	2½	— ¼	Off 9.1
13	Knicker Toy	25⅛	— 2½	Off 9.0
14	Staffd Lowd	5⅛	— ½	Off 8.9
15	Gorin Strs	3⅞	— ⅜	Off 8.8
16	Shopwell In	2⅝	— ¼	Off 8.7
17	Tubos Mex	2	—3 16	Off 8.6
18	Elec Hose	4½	— ⅜	Off 7.7
19	Simco Strs	3	— ¼	Off 7.7
20	Vulcan Corp	3	— ¼	Off 7.7
21	Bell Indust	4⅜	— ⅜	Off 7.5
22	Big Daddy L	4⅜	— ⅜	Off 7.5
23	Fla Rock In	3⅛	— ¼	Off 7.4
24	Tenna Corp	3⅛	— ¼	Off 7.4
25	Kleer Vu In	3¼	— ¼	Off 7.1
26	Presley Co	9¾	— ¾	Off 7.1
27	Ranchr Ex	14⅜	—1 1⅛	Off 7.1

What the stock market did

	This week	Prev. week	Year ago	Two Years ago
Advances	1545	1123	798	793
Declines	401	727	931	920
Unchanged	161	241	322	288
Total issues	2107	2091	2051	2001
New yearly highs	402	278	22	3
New yearly lows	20	44	93	482

NYSE Most active

NEW YORK (AP)-Week's twenty most active stocks.

Yearly High	Yearly Low		Week's Sles	High	Low	Last Chg.
22⅛	13½	Occiden Pet	1,641,000	22⅛	20¾	21⅞+ ⅜
64	50⅞	Am Tel&Tel	1,458,400	64	62	63⅞+ 1⅛
10⅛	7⅜	Sony Corp	1,242,700	9⅝	8⅝	9½+ 1
75⅜	57¾	Gen Motors	1,037,600	75⅝	71⅞	73¾+ 2⅛
28¾	23⅜	Texaco Inc	1,024,300	27	26	26¾+ ⅛
56⅞	47¼	Exxon	984,400	52⅞	50⅞	52⅜+ 1½
47⅜	26½	Tandy Corp	974,200	38⅛	37½	37⅞+ ¼
28⅞	24⅛	BankAmer	973,300	28⅞	26¾	28⅞+ 1⅞
28⅞	20⅜	Gulf Oil	876,000	28⅞	27⅞	28¾+ ⅜
58¾	46	Gen Elec	870,400	53⅜	50¾	53¼+ 2⅜
16¼	13¾	Southern Co	864,700	16¼	15¾	16 + ⅛
19⅜	10⅝	MGIC Inv	859,800	19⅜	17½	19 + 1
45⅛	31¼	Polaroid	843,600	40½	37	38⅞+ 2¼
37⅜	27¾	Citicorp	833,700	32¾	30¾	32¾+ 1¾
56⅛	38⅜	Dow Ch	787,000	40½	39	40⅛+ 1
43¾	31¼	Kresge SS	785,300	43¾	41¾	42⅞+ 1
8	3⅝	US Indust	776,800	8	7¼	7⅝+ ¼
15½	12¼	Va ElPow	703,900	15½	14¾	15¼+ ⅜
20	10⅝	Holiday Inn	699,700	13½	11¾	13⅜+ 1½
66	48¾	McDonald	696,200	56	52⅞	52⅞— 2⅛

OTC ups, downs

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the Over the Counter stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percent of change regardless of volume

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UPS

	name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1	Templet Ind	3	+ 1½	Up 100.0
2	Chem-Nucl	4½	+ 1¾	Up 63.6
3	AmPacific Int	4⅝	+ 1¾	Up 60.9
4	BkComptNtw	2	+ ¾	Up 60.0
5	Lexitron Corp	4	+ 1½	Up 60.0
6	Classifd Finl	2⅜	+ ⅞	Up 58.3
7	Piper Indust	4¾	+ 1¾	Up 58.3
8	ABKCO Inds	2¾	+ 1	Up 57.1
9	Rovac Corp	28½	+ 10¼	Up 56.2
10	StdMicrosys	2½	+ ⅞	Up 53.8
11	Schaak Electrn	3¾	+ 1¼	Up 50.0
12	Summit Proprty	2¼	+ ¾	Up 50.0
13	UnionPlantr	8¼	+ 2¾	Up 50.0
14	Microwave Semi	2⅜	+ ¾	Up 46.2
15	Fashion220	4	+ 1¼	Up 45.5
16	MidwGas Tr	20	+ 6	Up 42.9
17	Gen Automation	7⅛	+ 2⅛	Up 42.5
18	AFA ProtSvc	6⅜	+ 1⅞	Up 41.7
19	OakbrookCn	4¼	+ 1¼	Up 41.7
20	BenefNatCps	3	+ ⅞	Up 41.2
21	Seeburg Ind	5¾	+ 1⅝	Up 39.4
22	Intersil In	8⅜	+ 2⅜	Up 38.0
23	Dana Elec	2	+ ½	Up 33.3
24	Rapidata Inc	2½	+ ⅝	Up 33.3
25	Seiscom Delta	2	+ ½	Up 33.3

DOWNS

	Name	Last	Chg	Pct.
1	AtwdOceanic	5⅞	— 1⅞	Off 24.2
2	VanDyk Resrch	3½	— 1	Off 22.2
3	Congress L	2	— ½	Off 20.0
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"Natural Blend" is a trademark of Cotton Inc. for fabric of 60 per cent or more cotton with easy care characteristics.

"Those 10 million shirts are a whale of a success for U.S. cotton producers and their marketing and prommotion efforts," says Reed Hanks, Cotton Inc. director of apparel merchandising.

"Those 10 million shirts mean business taken away from synthetics manufacturers. To make those 23 million yards of fabric it took approximately 16,000 bales of cotton," Hanks says.

"At first, we had to struggle to get one shirt company -- Manhattan -- to offer a 'Natural Blend' shirt. And Manhattan had to convince its mill supplier -- Springs -- to make the fabric," Hanks adds.

"But now we have 12 manufacturers and one chain store supplying 'Natural Blend' shirts, four mills producing the fabric and two converters finishing the fabric. As soon as Cotton Inc. and Manhattan showed tha the consumer wants more cotton, all the other major shirt manufacturers boarded the bandwagon. And with them came the mills," Hanks explains.

Demand is such that Manhattan would like to expand its fabric buying by 50 per cent, but the mills do not have the capacity to supply it, he adds.

The 12 shirt manufacturers include the big three of the industry -- Arrow, Van Heusen and Manhattan -- plus Eagle, Gant, Holbrook, Creighton, Career Club, Enro, Hathaway, Sero and Capital- Mercury. In addition, Montgomery Ward, the nation's third largest chain store, sells its own "Natural Blend" shirt.

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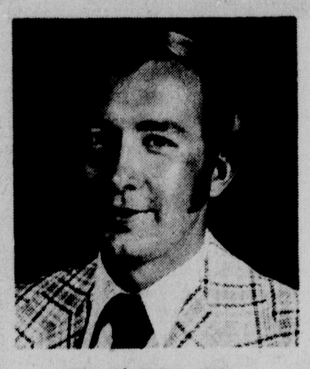

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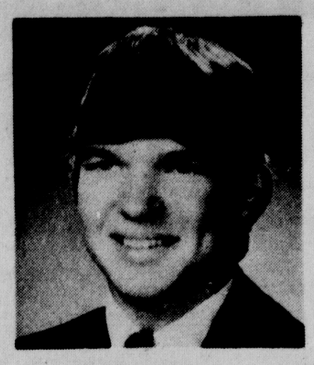

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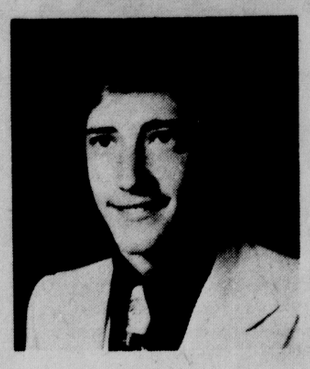

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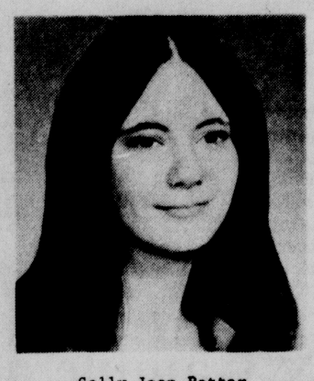

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7 Missouri 4-Her's claim scholarships

CHICAGO — Seven 4-H members from Missouri claimed $5,400 in scholarships at the 55th National 4-H Congress Nov. 28-Dec. 2. Each was named a winner in programs arranged by the National 4-H Service Committee and supervised by the Cooperative Extension Service.

Selected for their accomplishments in 4-H projects and activities, leadership development and growth in personal, community and civic responsibilities, 276 winners nationwide shared $215,000 in educational grants.

Missouri's national winners, the amounts of their grants, the program in which they won honors, and the donors of awards were:

Mary Simon, 20, of Sedalia, $800, agribusiness, DeKalb AgResearch, Inc.; David Buckman, 19, of Shelbina, $800, dairy, Insurance Co. of North America; Dereck Allbee, 17, of Greenwood, $800, health, Eli Lilly and Co.; and Sally Jean Potter, 23, of Columbia and Vincil M. Wilt, 22, of Shelbina, both winners of $1,000, Lassie 4-H veterinary medicine scholarships donated by Champion Valley Farms, Inc.

Winners of $500 scholarships given by Santa Fe Railway System were Jane Gray, 19, of Higginsville and Kurtis W. Holiman, 18, of Columbia.

During their visit to the Windy City, the 4-H'ers toured the museums and other points of interest. They sang together, worshiped together and rapped with business executives and other delegates from across the country.

With the theme, 4-H--Room to Grow, the five-day event provided a balanced program of education, inspiration and recognition. Special emphasis was given America's free enterprise system by Keynoter Russell G. Mawby, president, W.K. Kellogg Foundation, at Sunday's opening assembly.

Delegates enjoyed varied entertainment and music. The Nashville Brass was presented by Tupperware Home Parties, and Maynard Ferguson and his orchestra by International Paper Co. General Motors Corp. delighted delegates with performances by The Spurrlows and Miss America. International Harvester Co. hosted a luncheon and The Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., a breakfast for some 2,200 persons attending the 4-H Congress.

Delegates and leaders became acquainted at a party given by Standard Brands Inc., and they were entertained by the Purdue Collegiate Singers and The Purdettes, courtesy of American Income Life Insurance Co.

Missouri's delegates enjoyed a hot dog and soft drink party given by Ford Motor Co., an evening at Chicago's Art Institute, sponsored by First National Bank of Chicago, and numerous tours.

A National 4-H Fashion Revue--Fashions with a Future--staged by Simplicity Pattern Co., was a hit with all. Fifty-two winners modeled their own ensembles which included Missouri's Monic Phillippe, 16, of Columbia.

The Congress closed with the naming of six presidential award winners, a banquet and farewell party.

'77 will be very good year for cotton

RALEIGH, N.C. — When the new year rolls in, U.S. cotton producers can look back on 1976 as the best year for prices they have ever had.

But they will also have a lot to look forward to.

"The new year should be a very good cotton year, even with expanded plantings," says David Cox, Cotton Inc. vice president of economic research and development.

Cotton Inc. is the fiber company of U.S. cotton producers.

"Some producers are fearful that if they plant more next year, the bottom will drop out of the market. A look at the worldwife conditions shows that there is enough demand in the market to sustain increased plantings at even better average prices," Cox says.

Demand for cotton by U.S. consumers has given cotton its best year since 1972 in terms of share of the overall fiber market, Cox points out. And demand overseas for cotton is growing faster than foreign production can increase, he adds.

Cox comments that in the past foreign production has not been as responsive to market needs as U.S. production has been. He attributes this partly to the agricultural policies of the two largest cotton producers in the world, China and the Soviet Union, the policies tie cotton production to five-year plans that limit responsiveness to market conditions

Together, China and the U.S.S.R. account for almost half of all foreign cotton production, Cox says.

"Limited foreign production means that cotton- importing nations will depend on the United States to meet their increase in demand," Cox explains.

From the farmer's standpoint, cotton is now one of the most attractive crops to grow, Cox points out.

For the first three quarters of 1976, cotton prices paid to farmers averaged almost 60 cents a pound. With strong fourth quarter prices, the year's final average should top 60 cents for the first time in U.S. history, Cox says.

"Cotton prices paid to producers for 1976 are running almost 80 per cent higher than the prices of 1973. And, if you compare the increased value of cotton with other crops, you see why cotton is getting so attractive to grow," he says. "Since 1973, average producer prices of wheat have gone up only six per cent, while producer prices for soybeans have actually dropped 16 per cent."

Cox suggests that cotton producers contract a portion of their 1977 crop, on either a bale or acreage basis, as one good way of ensuring prices over 60 cents a pound. He also recommends that producers consider contracts on a call basis.

Copies of model contracts and a guide to call contracting are available from the Division of Economic Research and Development, Cotton Inc., 4505 Creedmoor Road, Raleigh, N.C. 27612.

Copies of the monthly Cotton Summary published by Cotton Inc. are also available.

Tree seedlings are available

BLOOMFIELD — Tree seedlings and bundles are again being made available to landowners by the Missouri Department of Conservation for a variety of purposes, including forestry, wildlife, Christmas trees, erosion control, windbreak, nut production and environmental plantings. Orders for these seedlings and bundles are now being accepted at the University of Missouri Extension Center in Bloomfield.

Species of trees and shrubs available include shortleaf pine, loblolly pine, jack pine, scotch pine, white pine, black walnut, sycamore, osage orange, mulberry, tulip poplar, cottonwood, black locust, sweet gum, bald cypress, soft maple, river birch, dogwood, shrub lespedeza, bush honeysuckle, black alder, redbud and hawthorn. Bundles available include beautification, game cover, windbreak, nut tree and pine bundles.

Orders are usually accepted until about Feb. 15. However, the earlier the order is placed, the better the chances will be for securing the kinds of seedlings and bundles desired. Orders will be shipped prepaid to you on a date selected by you.

Application forms listing the various kinds of trees and the bundles available and the price of each which can be used in placing orders are available upon request at the University of Missouri Extension Center in Bloomfield. Information pertaining to the various kinds of trees and bundles available and how to plant them are also available at extension centers.

Blunt asks for cotton reports

NEW MADRID — Larry Blunt, director of the New Madrid County Agricultural Stabilization Conservation Service Office urges all county farmers who have not previously reported their 1976 cotton production, to report their production for each farm as soon as possible. Cotton cards have been distributed to each gin and Blunt requests that each farmer deliver his report of production to the ASCS Office.

Farm leader named

JEFFERSON CITY — David Swearingin of Carrollton was appointed chairman of the Missouri Farm Bureau Young Farmers state committee at the Missouri Farm Bureau's 62nd annual convention.

Along with his brother Charles, David operates Swearingin Bros. Farms Inc., where they feed out 2,000 head of hogs annually, and raise corn and beans on 700 acres of land.

The Swearingin family has been active in the Missouri Farm Bureau for many years, David having served as the Carroll County Young Farmers chairman for two years. David and his wife Peggy have a three-month-old daughter, Ann Lynette.

The 62nd annual meeting of the 61,000-member farm organization was held at Tan-Tar-A Lodge on the Lake of the Ozarks Nov. 28-30, with more than 1,000 Missouri farm people attending.

As chairman of the young farmer committee, Swearingin will be an advisory member on the Missouri Farm Bureau state board of directors, and with the 14 young farmer couple state committee, they will plan and carry out their own annual Missouri Farm Bureau Young Farmers Convention in February at Tan-Tar-A Lodge.

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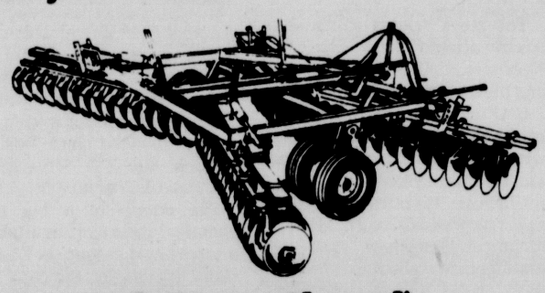

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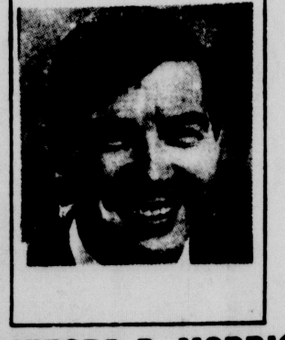

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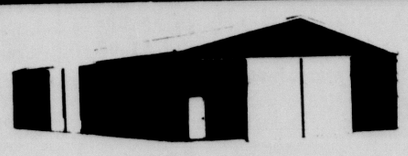

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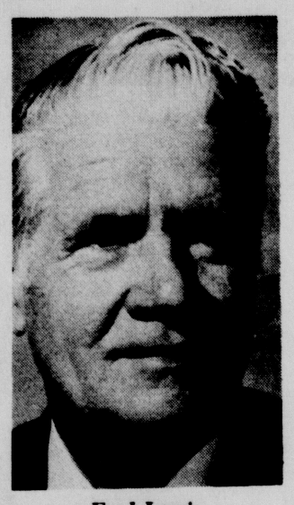
Business

Jarvis is reelected to Best Western board

PHOENIZ, Ariz. — Earl Jarvis was recently re-elcted to another term on Best Western's board of directors.



Earl Jarvis

Co-owner of the Best Western El- Capri Motel in Sikeston, Mo., Jarvis represents 231 Best Westerns located in Missouri, Arkansas, Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota. The board of directors governs 1,783 Best Western motels, hotels and resorts throughout the United States, Canada, Mexico, Australia, New Zealand and the Caribbean.

Jarvis served as president of Best Western, Inc. during 1976. Under his direction, plans were finalized and construction began on Best Western's $10 million international headquarters-motor hotel complex in Phoeniz.

Also, a new group and tour marketing department was established, and Best Western's International Marketing and Reservations Center generated $46 million in room sales, a 36 per cent increase over 1975 volume. Over 250 top-quality properties joined best Western in 1976, strengthening the company's lead over Holiday Inns as the largest lodging chain in the world.

Associated with Best Western for 19 years, Jarvis has served on previous boards as first vice president and secretary-treasurer. Locally, he is president of Jarvis Motor co. in Sikeston, and is active in the Masons, the Missouri Chamber of Commerce and church, hospital and college groups. He is an elder of First Christian Church in Sikeston and a member of the board of directors of the National Board of church Extension of the Disciples of Christ. Jarvis is listed in Who's Who In Missouri.

Bicentennial Silver Dollar Sale set for Monday

Kingsway Mall merchants, in cooperation with First National Bank, will sponsor the second annual Silver Dollar Sale at the Mall Monday. Roger Tolliver, left, and Phyllis Jones are shown counting the 3,000 Bicentennial Silver Dollars which will be sold for 90 cents each with a limit of two per person. The sale will be conducted in three one-hour intervals 10-11 a.m., 12-1 p.m. and 5-6 p.m.

Proctor & Gamble announce plans to expand at Cape

CAPE GIRARDEAU — The Proctor & Gamble Paper Products Co. has announced plans to expand its facilities at the Cape Girardeau plant, beginning early next spring.

Plant Manager Jim Bowman stated that the new addition is needed "to accommodate the expanding business needs of the company."

The new addition will add approximately 114,000 square feet of warehouse space to the plant and increase the capacity for loading and unloading rail cars within the plant. After completion, the plant will have approximately 25 acres under roof.

This is the third major expansion of the Cape Girardeau facility since the original construction was completed in August 1969. In 1972, a 225,000-square foot expansion was announced, and again in February, 1975, a 325,000-square foot expansion was approved. This latter expansion is currently in progress.

The construction contract has been awarded to Fruin-Colnon Corp. of St. Louis. The Cape Girardeau plant produces Pampers Disposal Diapers.

Bank of Bernie opens new drive-in facility on Dec. 4

BERNIE — A ribbon- cutting ceremony was held Dec. 4 to mark the opening of the State Bank of Bernie drive-in facility on Highway 25 South.

The ribbon was cut by Mayor R. B. Woods Jr. Directors Leo Boeving and James Belknap of Poplar Bluff, Mrs. Helen Waller of Malden and Charles Rushing of Bernie attended. Other directors are R.W. Beall of Memphis, Tenn. and Jack Waller of Malden.

Doughnuts and coffee were served.

Mrs. Pat Miller Rushing will be a full-time employe at the facility, with alternate help from the main bank. All banking services will be available with the exception of loans,which are available at the main bank.

The drive-in facility opened for business Dec. 6.

Wins new TV!

Mrs. Gordon Beaver,305 Kramer Drive., won one of the television sets being given away during House of Carpet's second anniversary sale. House of Carpet, located at 522 Smith St., will hold a drawing to give away a second television Dec. 23 at the conclusion of a two-month-long anniversary sale.

TO ALL MISSOURI COTTON PRODUCERS

If you were a producer of cotton during 1976, you will have the opportunity to vote in an upcoming referendum to increase the current $1.00 a bale assessment for promotion and research of cotton.

If the referendum is approved, the increased assessment would amount to four-tenths of one percent of the value of cotton, with the funds to be used to strengthen cotton's competitive position and expand domestic and foreign markets for cotton.

Your "YES" vote means all cotton producers can make contributions for research and the promotion of cotton. Or, may request a refund of their money. A "NO" vote deprives producers of this promotional opportunity and weakens their competitive position for getting better prices in 1977.

We urge all producers to vote "YES" in the December 13th to 17th cotton referendum.

For more information - contact your County Farm Bureau office or the county ASC office.

Faberge, Inc. expects hike in '76 earnings

NEW YORK — George Barrie, chairman of the board of directors and chief executive officer of Faberge, Inc. stated, at a Nov. 30 meeting of security analysts and other members of the financial community at the Faberge offices, that the company expects a substantial improvement in net earnings for 1976 as compared to the prior year.

This expectation takes into account the effect of major foreign currency devaluations, the petition under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Act of the company which acquired the "Polly Bergen" business from Faberge's subsidiary, and a loss for Brut Productions, Inc., the company's entertainment subsidiary.

It was also announced at the meeting that gross sales of Faberge's new Babe fragrance line will exceed $10 million in 1976.

Ozark Air Lines passes one billion mark

ST. LOUIS — During November, Ozark Air Lines surpassed one billion revenue passenger miles flown in a year for the first time and set a daily passenger boarding record of 15,829 on Nov. 24. In addition, a record load factor of 82 per cent was set by the company on Nov. 28, according to Edward J. Crane, president and chief executive officer.

Passenger enplanements totaled 313,088 during November, a 13 per cent increase over 278,063 in the same month last year. The year-to-date total through November was 3,486,429 passengers, a 14 per cent increase over 3,073,917 enplanements during January-November, 1975.

Operations during November produced 96,494,000 revenue passenger miles, an increase of 18 per cent over 82,067,000 in November 1975. Available seat miles increased 18 per cent during the month to 191,626,000, compared with 162,077,000 last year.

Revenue passenger miles through the first 11 months totaled 1,080,224,000. This was a 22 per cent increase over 883,322,000 produced during the same time last year. In this same 11-month period, available seat miles totaled 2,074,219,000, up 14 per cent over comparable figures of 1,824,366,000 last year.

The load factor during November was 50.4 per cent, compared to 50.6 per cent in the same month last year. The 11-month figures show a load factor of 52.1 per cent, increasing 3.7 points from 48.4 per cent during the same time last year.

Security analysts search for discounted equity

By CROCKETT SCOTT

The bears and bulls expound in depth and detail about market direction, but the more astute traders and Securities and Exchange Commission-registered security analysts just continue the search for discounted equity.

"Nobody really knows when the market is going up or down," says one of their number, "but common sense tells us that when you buy a pair of Florsheim shoes below market, you are making money.

"And the same is true in common stocks. Take Schering Plough, for instance."

Memphis' own Schering-Plough, rated "A-plus" by Standard & Poor's is selling at a considerable discount--in the low 40's--from its mid 50's level back last February, and as Memphis SEC-registered security analysts emphasize, one would have to look in many areas to find a higher quality common stock.

Schering Plough's product mix of drugs, cosmetics and toiletries should sell in bad times as well as good, note the analysts. And when you can pick up the stock at a discount, it would appear to be a buy.

There has been a common stock dividend since 1952 for holders of Schering Plough.

Crocker National, a leading bank holding company in California, trades around 25, six points or so below book, which, according to Standard & Poor's, was $31.81 a share, as of Dec. 31, 1975.

Several years ago, Crocker National traded up into the 50's. A number of St. Louis SEC-registered security analysts suggest West Coast inquiries on this equity, both from banking institutions and investment banking firms.

Famed old Schlitz Brewing, selling in the mid teens and down from an earlier year level around 24, could be a wise year-end acquisition, in the view of some Kansas City SEC-registered analysts.

Schlitz has such a prominent name that the stock at 16 or so appears to be money in the bank, according to Kansas City investment people.

And Schlitz, they note, has been paying a dividend since 1933.

A common stock which has not reached its potential but which could be a worthy investment for possibly the long term, as well as for training accounts (in the view of some Chicago SEC-registered analysts) is GAF Corp., formerly known as General Aniline & Film.

The stock trades on the big board around 12-13. Back in February, GAF rose to about 16, and during 1975, the high was 18.

GAF is engaged in building products and chemicals, along with film and photo equipment and business systems.

Chicago investment people are impressed with GAF's technical knowhow, and its management potential. "Some day," notes one of their number," GAF could get off the ground and soar."

A favored short-term holding of a number of Cincinnati SEC-registered security analysts is Simplicity Pattern, which some of their number are acquiring now around 15. The stock traded up into the 22-23 area earlier in the year.

The fact that trading has been heavy in the stock of recent date is considered a favorable omen in their view.

Simplicity Pattern, one of the world's foremost producers of apparel patterns for women, has paid a dividend since 1945, and obtains an "A" rating by Standard & Poor's.

The equity of a big name chemical producer, available at a sizeable discount, is Rhom & Haas, trading on the New York Stock Exchange around 45, in contrast with a high of 76 earlier in the year.

Earnings have been erratic, which stockbrokers explain, has motivated many holders to unload. The stock is rated "A minus" by Standard & Poor's.

Is Rohm & Haas a buy? Some investment people suggest it worthy of study; leaving the investment decision to the individual.

West Alton man is elected to Farm Credit Bank board

ST. LOUIS — Herbert Farley, a West Alton farmer, has been elected a director of the farm Credit Banks of St. Louis, according to an announcement by Glenn E. Heitz, chairman of the presidents committee. Farley's election was by the Production Credit Associations in Arkansas, Illinois and Missouri, the three states which comprise the Sixth farm Credit District.

Farley will begin his first three-year term as a director on Jan. 1, 1977. He will serve as a director of The Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, the federal Intermediate Credit Bank of St. Louis and the St. Louis Bank for Cooperatives.

Farley is a native of Peoria, Mo. He graduated from Riverview High School and has attended all Production Credit Association director institutes and various University of Missouri short courses.

He owns and operates a 1,300-acre farm with principal crops of corn, wheat, soybeans and milo. He also has an automated cattle feeding operation and annually feeds out approximately 600 head.

Farley serves as vice chairman of the board of directors of Valley Production Credit Association of St. Charles. He is a member of the Farm Bureau, Missouri Farmers Association and the Bellefontaine United Methodist Church. He is a past board member of the Cooperative Levee District and serves on the boards of the Community Church and the Orchard farm school District.

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WATCH YOUR POCKETBOOKS!!

There are some signs that, after conferring with various and sundry officials in Washington, President-Elect James Earl Carter has mellowed considerably from his high-flying campaign "promises." We can but hope that between now and inauguration day he will "mellow" a great deal more.

Consider, for example, these excerpts from a news story, with headlines from a UPI dispatch from Boston:

"Massachusetts Banking On Carter Aid — Expecting Sudden Bonanza of Federal Funds ... Boston (UPI) — Massachusetts political leaders are looking to President-elect Jimmy Carter to be an economic rainmaker who will bring new life and growth to the fiscally despressed state ...

"Massachusetts hasn't had it so good since the New Frontier days of the Kennedy White House.

"A federal takeover of the (Massachusetts) welfare system alone — one of Carter's goals — would free up to an estimated $1 billion annually in state funds. A national health insurance program would further ease tax burden.

"And that's only the beginning..."

Shortly after the above news story appeared, a number of big city mayors, including Boston's, met for the purpose of bringing pressure upon the new Carter administration for Federal funds to bail them out of financial difficulties.

Apparently, the Massachusetts politicians are still laboring under the illusion that we, the American people, have such unlimited personal income that we can be taxed for more and more money, above the taxes we are paying now, so that they can continue their spend thrift habits which got them into their financial binds in the first place.

Perhaps they didn't hear the other campaign promise made by Carter to lower taxes.

Well, gentlemen, it can't be both ways. The only real solution is to stop spending money like drunken sailors and to begin to run the various city and state governments in a financially responsible manner. If the politicians in "Taxachusetts" think that people in other states are going to pay for their financial foolishness, then they have, as our favorite Grandmother used to say, "another think coming!"

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Overheard at the coffee table: Considering all the medicare, welfare and social security, if you aren't sick, poor and old you don't have a future.

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We go forward within the framework of our unalterable commitment to the defense of Europe and to the reunification of Germany. But America and Western Europe have achieved the strength and self- confidence to follow a course based on hope rather than hostility, based on opportunity rather than fear. It is our belief that wise and skillful development of relationships with the nations of Eastern Europe can speed the day when Germany will be reunited.

Lyndon B. Johnson

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Soybean Bill figures why politicians dread high unemployment - they fear they may be next.

Art Buchwald

THE SURVIVAL GAME

WASHINGTON— We are now in a lame duck situation in Washington and it affects every part of government life. The pace is slower, there is a reluctance to make decisions, and there is a tendency on the part of civil service employees to keep their distance from Ford appointees on the off-chance that the new Carter appointees might feel that they were Ford people all along.

The name of the game in Washington is survival. And this is how many civil service employees are playing it.

"The secretary wants to see you right away."

"What secretary?"

"The secretary of the treasury. He says it's urgent."

"Okay, where's his office?"

"You know damn well where his office is. You've been up there every day for four years apple polishing him"

"That's a lie and you know it, Turtleman. If anyone has been apple polishing the secretary it's been you. I doubt if I've met with the secretary more than three times since he's been here. I hardly know what he looks like."

"Well, he asked for you by name."

"How did he get my name?"

"I told it to him. He asked me who was in charge of Balance of Payments to North Africa, and I gav him the information."

"You could have said you didn't know, Turtleman. Now you've got me in a real fix. I'll be seen going in and out of the secretary's office and in an hour it will be all over the building."

"So what? It will show that the secretary trusts you."

"I don't want anyone to know the secretary trusts me. How do you think the Carter people will feel if they find out that Ford's secretary of the treasury trusted me? You're out for my job, Turtleman."

"I am not out for your job. But how would it look if I told the secretary I didn't know the name of the person who was in charge of our Balance of Payments to North Africa? The Carter people would hear about it and think I was a real dumdum."

"Why do you think the secretary wants to see me?"

"My own feeling is that he would like to see anybody. Every time he asks to see a civil service employee he's been told the person is out to lunch. Frankly, I think he's kind of lonely."

"Why don't the Carter transition people want to see me?"

"They do, but there're so many people waiting in their office that they can't get around to seeing everybody. Why don't you find an excuse to call them?"

"That's a good idea. What excuse should I use?"

"Why don't you tell them the secretary wants to see you and ask them what you should do about whatever he wants to see you about?"

"That's a splendid idea. I'll call them now.

"Carter transition? Listen, I just got a call from Secretary What's-his-name-- you know, Ford's appointee? He wants to see me and I thought you should know about it. No, I don't know what he wants to talk to me about, but I assure you whatever it is I'll tell him what he can do about it. My name is Carstairs -- C-a-r-s-t-a-i-r-s-- almost like in Carter, and I have an aunt who lives in Atlanta. I wanted you know where I'd be just in case you were looking for me."

Ten minutes later:

"Mr. Secretary, you sent for me?"

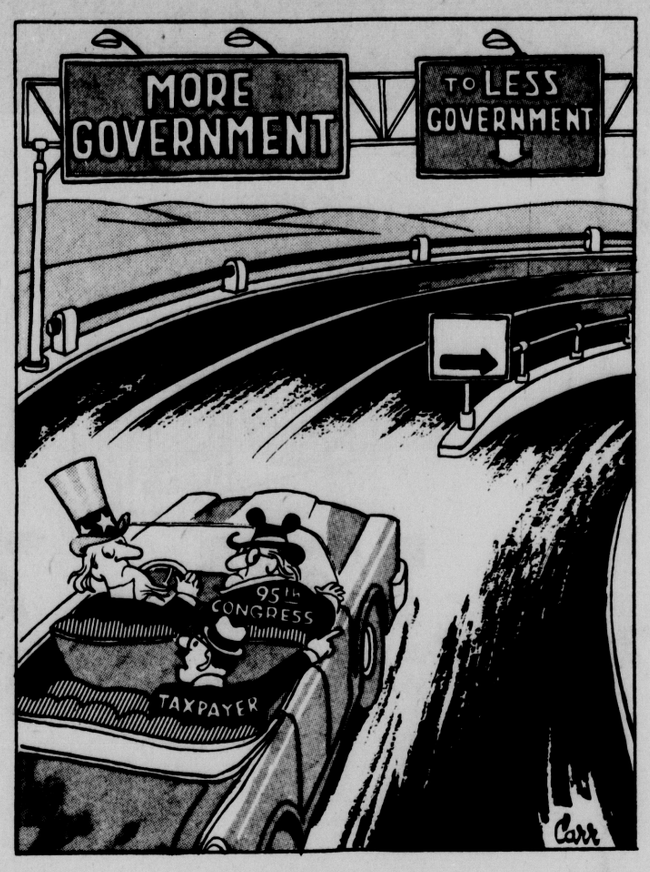
"Yes, Carstairs, I just wanted to tell you how much I enjoyed working with you."

"Oh, my God, you're not going to put it in writing, are you?"

"I thought it would look good in your record book."

"Please, Mr. Secretary. Not in my record book."

"Okay, if that's the way you want it. Oh, there's one more thing, Carstairs. Have you got time for a game of gin rummy?"



TOMORROW DECEMBER 13— MONDAY

HEINE, HEINRICH: BIRTHDAY. Dec 13. German author, born, Dusseldorf, Dec 13, 1797. Died, Paris, Feb 17, 1856.

MEETING OF THE ELECTORS. Dec 13. On the Monday following the second Wednesday in December, in presidential election years, the Electors formally cast their ballots for president and vice-president of the United States, in their respective state capitals. The Electors ballots will be transmitted "to the Seat of the Government of the United States, directed to the President of the Senate," who, "in the presence of the Senate and House of Representatives," at 1 p.m. on the January 6 following the election, officially counts the electoral votes and announces the result, legally completing the election process if any candidate has received a majority of the 538 Electoral votes.

SWEDEN: ST. LUCIA'S DAY Dec 13.

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IN SEARCH OF ANSWERS
From The Los Angeles Times

The long voyage of Viking I has come to a triumphant end, and the search for life on worlds beyond our planet is approaching a dramatic beginning.

The conclusion of Viking's journey to Mars came at 4:53 a.m. on Tuesday, July 20, a day to remember. Onto the surface of the Red Planet, 212,000,000 miles from earth, a carefully sterilized spacecraft settled gently into safe haven amid rocks and chasms and peaks. The spacecraft is really a 1300-pound laboratory, crammed with instruments able to sense, measure and analyze the Martian environment.

Within 19 minutes, radio signals traveling at 186,000 miles a second gave scientists at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena the news that the landing had been a success. A little later, the first pictures from the surface of Mars began to appear line-by-line on monitors at JPL-pictures of spectacular clarity and detail, pictures of stark and moving splendor. Nothing like them had been seen before.

The brief photographic survey of the landing site and the Martian horizon is only a start, the first accrual of information that is expected to grow into a treasury of new scientific knowledge. To come are a series of careful measurements of the physical characteristics of Mars: wind and moisture, temperature and magnetic properties, seismic activity and pressure.

The exploration has been long in the planning, and expensive to mount—eight years of preparation, at a cost of 1 billion dollars. A second Mars landing is planned in September, and others may follow in time.

It is all, we think unquestionably worthwhile, for what will be learned about Mars itself, for what insights may be gained about the evolution of our own planet.

The search is only about to begin. The achievement already has been remarkable, the effort at discovery yet to come could be spectacular.

No sentient person has ever looked to the heavens without wondering what was there. Viking I is a response to that sense of wonder, a tiny but momentous step toward a butter understanding of the unimaginably vast universe, a great leap forward in scientific progress.

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IF A CHILD LIVES

Why do some youngsters grow up to be well-adjusted adults, while others go wrong? There is no simple answer to this question, but most psychologists agree that children are inclined to follow the example set by their parents. With this thought in mind, perhaps, an unknown writer created this list of cause-effect observations:

If a child lives with hostility, he learns to fight.

If a child lives with criticism, he learns to condemn.

If a child lives with fear, he learns to be apprehensive.

If a child lives with jealousy, he learns to hate.

If a child lives with self-pity, he learns to be sorry for himself.

If a child lives with encouragement, he learns self-confidence and integrity.

If a child lives with praise, he learns to be appreciative.

If a child lives with acceptance, he learns to love.

If a child lives with approval, he learns to like himself.

If a child lives with fairness, he learns justice.

If a child lives with honesty, he learns what truth is.

If a child lives with friendliness, he learns that the world is a nice place in which to live.

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HE WHO SMILES BEST

Among the many legends of the past there is one of the dour king. Too late in life he realized that many hours might have been much more pleasnt for him if he had only learned to smile as a youth.

To make sure that his own two sons would not develop such an austere personality, he talked to them about their future responsibilities. He told them that only a pleasant, cheerful, helpful king was really a good king. He promised that the one who best learned how to smile would one day take his place.

Eager to become king, one youth spent hours before a mirror in his room practicing a big, broad smile. He went to the theatre at night to observe the smiles on the faces of the singers and dancers. He watched how their white teeth showed when the bright lights were on them, but how quickly those smiles vanished when they moved back into the shadows. He liked their smiles and he enlisted the aid of a dramatic coach to make his own look as natural and pleasing. And he used his smile on everyone he met.

The king observed this son's smile, especially its mechanical perfection. He noted that it vanished as quickly as it came—vanished the instant he turned away from one person and was back again the instant he met another. The smile was there on his face all right, a cold, calculated, selfish smile. It was there whenever he could use it, it was gone the minute he did not need it. It was only face deep, and the king was disturbed.

Now the second boy thought the best way to learn to smile was by observing why others smiled. He learned that people usually smile when pleased and happy about something. So he began to speak those little pleasantries to people which make them feel a little better and coaxes a smile to their face. He noticed also that little courtesies usually bring a smile to another's face, and he never overlooked an opportunity to be courteous. Although he was not fully aware of it, the smiles of others were contagious and his own face caught them. A friendly twinkle came into his eyes and a warm, sincere expression possessed his face. While his smile was sometimes slow in coming, it lingered even after he had waved good-bye to the other person. His smile was more than face deep. It came from his heart.

The old king saw this and he was no longer disturbed. He mulled over in his mind words of wisdom: We help ourselves by helping others. He smiles best who brings a smile to the face of someone else.

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We WERE encouraged when, having arrived at that age, we were told that "fifty is the youth of old age." That is why we think readers as well as ourselves will appreciate our front cover which illustrates our page 3 article with its title: The Childhood of Immortality.

While we were contemplating this, there came to our desk the following poetic observation on the subject of old age, written by Captain Harry Brocksieck, corps officer at Richmond, Indiana, and vice president of the Wayne County Council on Aging. He writes:

"Age is a symbol of Life's Journey.

Age fulfills some people
Age makes some people deep
Age makes some people patient
Age makes some people kind
Age makes some people creative
Age makes some people wise
Age destroys some people
Age takes smiles from the face
bounce from the step
thoughts from the head
work from the hands
laughter from the heart
The joy and happiness of life
The sorrow and pain of life
The care and concern of life

The giving and receiving of life have mingled with each personality in some degree to fulfill or destroy.

There are those with age who are fulfilled and fulfill those around them.

There are those with age who are destroyed and destroy those around them.

Age describes some people.
You can tell an older person—
There is a lonely look
There is a saddened heart,
There is a weakened hand,
There is an absent smile,
There is a slowed step,
There is a teary eye.

Yes, age describes some people.
You can tell an older person—
There is the fulfilled look,
There is the deepened heart,
There is the serving hand,
There is the broader smile,
There is the experienced step,
There is the sparkling eye."

It has been said that in old age there is no radical change in personality; we remain what we always were— only more so. And there's the rub, because in becoming "more so" we become more aware of what we always were and react either with "saddened heart" or "sparkling eye."

But is all lost? Can there be no transformation, even yet, though truth has been seen so late? Probably not, if it is assumed that the few years of life left is all there is. Without hope incentive vanishes.

To regard old age as "the childhood of immortality," however, changes all that. Some believe that in the life to come there is opportunity for progress, but even for those of us who believe in the irreversible nature of the future state, there is the fact that "while there's life there's hope."

What thrill comes, however, when, instead of "living in the past" with its nostalgic as well as remorseful memories, we look to the future in anticipation of unimaginable delights!

The poet might have been speaking anthropomorphically, but he was thinking spiritually when he wrote of the heavenly country that "one-half of that city's bright glories to mortals has never been told."

One half of me (see Philippians 1:23, 24) can't wait to get there.

War Cry

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"Those who expect to reap the blessings of freedom must undergo the fatigue of supporting it."

Thomas Paine

WASH AND DRY

We had searched the house over for six-year-old Jimmy's birthday dollar. Then I remembered having washed and dried a pair of jeans.

I explained to Jimmy that if the dollar had been through both machines, it would probably be torn to pieces. But he ran to check anyway. Soon he came running upstairs, clutching the clear, crisp bill and shouting, "Hurray! I found it in the dryer, and it's still alive!"

Mrs. George Houck

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"My brother-in-law is a relief pitcher. Every week he goes down to the unemployment office and makes a different pitch."

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LOW SALES DIET

"Are you on a diet?" asked the salesman's friend, when he saw him eating milk and crackers. "No," was the reply. "On commission."

Herm Albright

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DOUBLE FAULT
From the Miami Herald

A TENNIS BUFF who broke a lace in his fancy German sneakers was surprised to find that a pair of new shoestrings now costs 65 cents in a Coconut Grove shop. Back in the days of Bill Tilden and Alice Marble, some frugal men could start a business on a shoestring. Nowadays, who can afford it?

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Why this fuss about developing a car that does away with gasoline? We own one already.

Sun Magazine

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Potomac Puzzle:

Carter's insiders stall payment to Labor Chiefs on political IOUs

WASHINGTON — It was Auld Lang Syne time for Nelson Rockefeller last Friday. Good friend Frank "Fitz" Fitzsimmons, the truck drivers' prexy, left the Teamsters' marble chancellery for a 45-minute morning visit with the Vice President in the old Executive Office Building. Much sighing. Small talk.

And later that day the Vice President and his young labor counselor, Bobby Armao, went over to the famed "Eight Floor" of Labor's house and more small talk with George Meany, AFL-CIO chieftain who once had hoped that Nelson would make it but actually elected Jimmy Carter, instead.

More small talk. What could they say? Neither of them had heard from the President-elect. No one in the Carter camp of any decision-making power had made a personal contact. Not the man himself. Not his eminence grise, Charlie Kirbo. Nobody had asked for advice or input or appeared to be in any hurry to repay labor for last fall's election IOUs.

It hadn't gone unnoticed that there wasn't a single "labor economist" among the 16 specialists invited to Plains Wednesday, Dec. 1, for analysis and debriefing. Many Ivy League professors. Many Brookings Institution types. And Irving Shapiro, chairman of both DuPont and the low-visibility, influential Business Roundtable (at which sit some 150 of the nation's most successful corporate chief executives). But not one economist from inside labor.

Certainly Harvard's own perpetual peripatetic Professor John T. Dunlop had been among the 16 braintrusters. But he was there as a former Secretary of Labor and university chap. Further, it isn't even certain he will be the incoming Labor Secretary -- one of the most powerful, indeed, if not all-powerful, government posts once it's in the hands of an aggressive appointee. Somehow the public just doesn't dig that.

There are two other candidates for the labor secretaryship in Jimmy Carter's special dossier. One is the 55-year-old, Kentucky-born professor of economics, vice president of Duke University at Durham, N.C., Mrs. Juanita M. Kreps. The records show her as a member of the National Manpower Committee Task Force.

This manpower ploy is the thing. For, also among the three names being circulated by the Carter input putters in the Congress is Prof. Ray Marshall, University of Texas specialist in development of rural manpower training, apprenticeships and job creation. Long active in Austin, he's still in his early forties, and is eager for the Labor Department post.

As a "manpower economist" at the university he was quickly picked up by the Carter talent scouts. Now he's the expert on what appears to be the first Carter effort to create jobs -- take power from the local authorities in the distribution of "CETA" money. CETA is the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act.

The act creates a fabulous machine. It needs Congressional repassage this spring. Billions of dollars would be available -- if handled right by some central headquarters in Washington -- to pour into the nation's inner cities. Thus the new Administration can deal directly with the community leaders instead of permitting mayors and city machines to funnel the funds.

So a position paper on CETA was among the first of two requests of the Carter U.S. Labor Dept. transition team. Obviously Jimmy Carter could deliver directly to local black leaders everywhere as he had promised. In this fashion he would be binding these communities directly to himself and the White House.

Where does this leave Prof. Dunlop, the hard hats' friend? Under attack from angry women's rights and black leaders, Dr. Dunlop's strength has been his ability to keep the 10,000 AFL-CIO Building and Construction Department locals in line by working with the general presidents of the 17 affiliated national unions.

He's been their staunch friend and ally. When as Secretary of Labor he couldn't convince President Ford to sign the common situs extended picketing powers bill, he resigned earlier this year. And he has fought for the rights of construction workers who fear being bumped by women and minority workers seeking to leapfrog seniority under the 1964 Civil Rights Act and Federal Affirmative Action programs. Now he's taking his wallops.

But a Dunlop package could be wrapped up. There's talk of the influential Labor Dept. undersecretaryship going to 42-year-old William Lucy, who as secretary-treasurer of Wurf's militant American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employes, is the nation's top black labor leader.

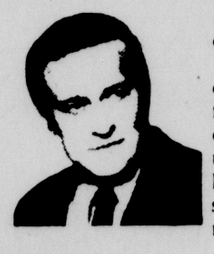
But it's all a tight poker game. No one knows who will draw what from the Carter deck. Not even George Meany -- he observes this silently, much like the ageless lama in Shangri-la.

There's considerable significance here. This means that Mr. Carter truly is departmentalizing his operation. Some labor people charge him with provincialism. They note that they've interests far wider than the Labor Dept.

They want input on many other Cabinet departments. Some recall that Dick Nixon had promised to place a top labor man high in each Cabinet arena. He began. But he was finished before he could deliver on his promises made to labor men during leisurely golfing hours at Burning Tree links.

Thus it went these past few days. Someone casually remarked to young Bobby Armao, "Well, now whom will we rush to for all those little things?" These "little things" are the inner service of the White House, the contacts, the contracts, the reaching out, the daily delivery. No one knows who will be delivering. Yet on such little things depends the mood of big labor now awaiting payment on the IOUs it holds. So don't mistake the quietude for any pre-holiday political charity. Mr. Carter will learn soon enough, labor intends to collect. When it strikes, it strikes hard.

WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND



Organized Crime Controversy

by Jack Anderson and Les Whitten

WASHINGTON -- A bitter, blazing controversy has erupted inside the Justice Dept. over how to combat organized crime.

In theory, the special strike forces are supposed to mobilize the resources of the federal government to disrupt underworld operations and to bear down on the crime lords. The strike force chiefs believe this requires a concentrated, coordinated, national effort without interference from politically appointed U.S. attorneys.

Most U.S. attorneys, on the other hand, want to bring the strike forces under tighter control. They are supported by Richard Thornburgh, chief of the Justice Dept.'s criminal division.

In recent months, he has revised and restricted the investigative guidelines. He has also closed down the strike forces in St. Louis and New Orleans, and has given the U.S. attorneys in Newark and New York City jurisdiction over the strike forces in their cities.

This has outraged the strike force chiefs, who look upon themselves as professionals free of political pressure. It has also upset Internal Revenue Commissioner Donald Alexander, whose agents are helping the strike forces bring the crime bosses to justice. He told us the New Orleans strike force, for example, was developing several important cases.

In a blunt, confidential memorandum endorsed by all the strike force chiefs, Michael DeFeo of the Los Angeles strike force warned that the new guidelines would "initially reduce the effectiveness of the organized crime program."

He charged that the guidelines would exclude "associates and confederates of organized crime members." But his greatest concern, according to the memo, was that Thornburgh's moves would "ultimately abolish" the strike force program "by dividing its control among the individual United States attorneys."

The new guidelines, approved recently by Attorney General Edward Levi, limit the definition of organized crime and require strike force chiefs to inform U.S. attorneys about search warrants in advance. There are also other new restrictions; strike force involvement in narcotics cases, for example, will be reduced.

DeFeo discerned from these developments that the strike forces eventually will be "phased out, absorbed by and conducted under direct supervision of a local U.S. attorney, retaining the strike forces name for public relations purposes."

Sources inside the strike forces have told us that Thornburgh intends to kill the program. But Thornburgh insisted that he has no intention of destroying the strike forces. He didn't rule out the possibility, however, of merging the remaining strike forces into the offices of the U.S. attorneys. In any event, he said he will leave the final decision up to the incoming Carter administration.

DeFeo argued in his confidential memo that the strike forces were better suited than U.S. attorneys' offices to wage war on organized crime. The memo, dated September 27, pointed out that "the strike forces had the independent, permanent capability for a sustained program that local U.S. attorneys lacked because of their conflicting obligations, fixed terms and higher turnover."

William Lynch, the tough prosecutor who ran the organized crime section, agreed with DeFeo's assessments. In an earlier memorandum, dated August 30, Lynch warned that the new guidelines "heralds an end to an effective strike force program."

The guidelines will be regarded by Mafia mobsters, he complained, "as limiting the scope of strike force investigative and prosecutive mandates."

Thornburgh responded to Lynch's complaints by removing him as head of the organized crime section, which oversees the strike forces.

Thornburgh told us emphatically that Lynch and DeFeo are wrong. The new guidelines, he said, are merely part of an updating of the U.S. attorneys' manual. "It is only logical that such an effort would take account," he explained, "of evolving needs, priorities, conditions and relationships in the criminal justice field."

He denied that the guidelines would limit investigations to mob members only, but claimed that their associates would also be included in the new definition of "criminal syndicates." The term, he said, "appears to me to clearly encompass all of those highly organized, disciplined associations engaged in supplying illegal goods and services."

According to Thornburgh, "the guidelines are premised upon the continued ecistence of at least some strike forces, and their working in tandem with the U.S. attorneys' offices."

The Democrats who will take over the White House and Capitol Hill, meanwhile, have expressed interest iin the internal battle. Rep. William Hungate, D.-Mo., chairman of the House Criminal Justice subcommittee, has asked in a private letter that Thornburgh explain his actions to restrict the strike forces.

President-elect Jimmy Carter's transition team at the Justice Dept. is also examining the strike force problem. But they had an abrupt "no comment" about their views.

Candidates are solicited for busines award

ST. LOUIS — Interested business and civic organizations are invited to submit names of potential candidates for the 1977 Small Business Person of the Year before Jan. 1, 1977, according to Thomas L. Holling, Small Business Administration district director.

The 1977 competition is designed to determine the most outstanding small business person who demonstrates excellence in each of the following categories:

Staying power—A substantiated history as an established business; growth in number of employes—a benchmark to judge the impact of the business on the job market; increase in sale dollar and-or unit volume-an indication of continued growth; current and past financial reports-substantiating the improved financial position of the business; and original entrepreneurship-evidence that the nominee was not necessarily a small family business that has been passed down through the generations.

Also, innovations of product or services offered—illustrations of the creativity and imagination of the originator of the business and or subsequent manager; response to adversity—examples of problems faced by the business and the solutions taken in resolving them; evidence of contributions by nominee to aid community oriented projects—through use of his-her personal resources, i.e., time, effort, etc.

Although the award is presented by the U.S. Small Business Administration, it is not necessary for the candidate to have received any of SBA's full range of services, including management, procurement and financial assistance.

SBA's salute to the nation's 10 million small businesses is the second week in May during National Small Business Week.

The 1976 winner from the St. Louis district office was Arne Roestel, president, Artronix, Inc., 1314 Hanley Industrial Court, St. Louis. It was also selected as the regional winner for the states of Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa and Missouri. Artonix, Inc. manufacturers medical data processing equipment such as the brain scanner.

Shelbina family selected state farm family

JEFFERSON CITY — Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Vickers of Shelbina were selected as the state's outstanding young farm family at the Missouri Farm Bureau's 62nd annual meeting Nov. 28-30 at Tan-Tar-A Lodge on the Lake of the Ozarks.

Robert and Rita have built their farming operation from a modest start of a few head of livestock and borrowed or rented machinery to a family enterprise worth over $200,000.

In just five short years, Vickers has put his animal husbandry and agricultural mechanization college training to work on his 330-acre farm to produce increased wheat, soybean, corn and milo crops from his original start. He now uses reduced tillage practices to prevent erosion and has established terraces and waterways to control runoff.

Vickers also is cultivating 80 acres of timber for potential use of lumber, and he uses his tractor to custom load river gravel for extra income.

The win qualifies Mr. and Mrs. Vickers to represent Missouri Farm Bureau at the American Farm Bureau Convention in Honolulu, Hawaii, in January. They will compete with farmers and ranchers from 49 other states and Puerto Rico for the coveted American Farm Bureau National Young Farmers and Ranchers Award given annually.

May attains Ford sales membership

Ford Division of the Ford Motor Co. recently announced that Ray May, Route Two, has attained membership in the Ford Society of Professional Sales Counselors for 1976.

Society membership can only be attained by Ford salesmen who display outstanding sales achievement during the calendar year.

May is employed by Sikeston Motor Co. 1030 S. Main St., and has been a member of its sales staff since 1968.

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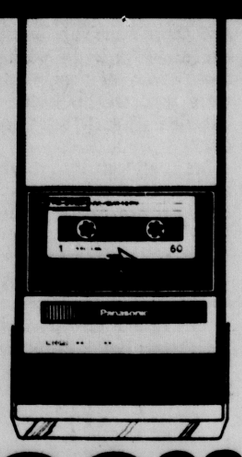

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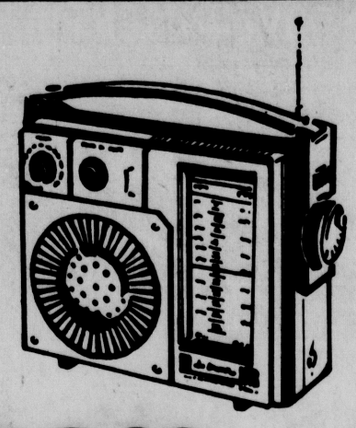

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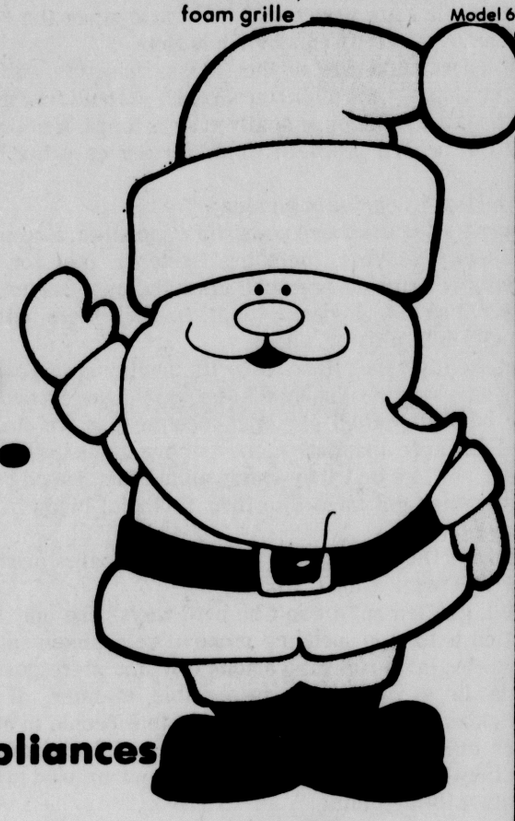

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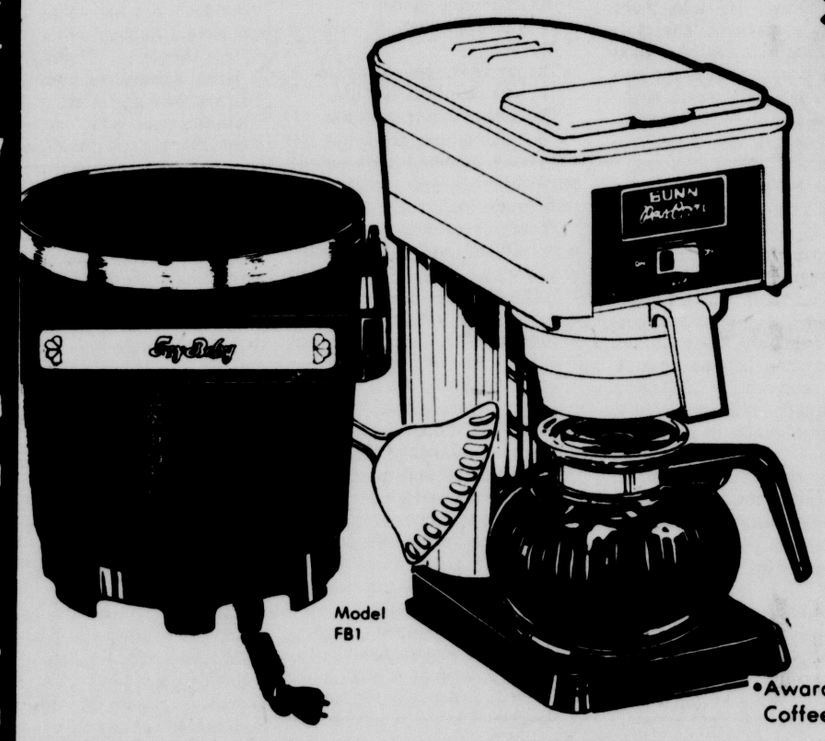

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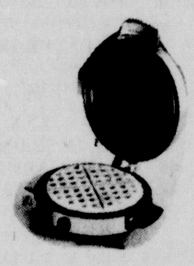

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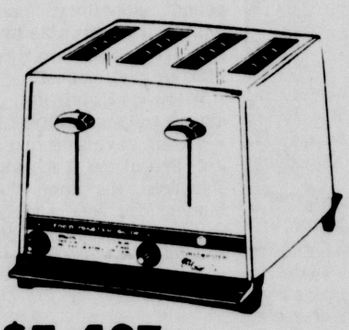

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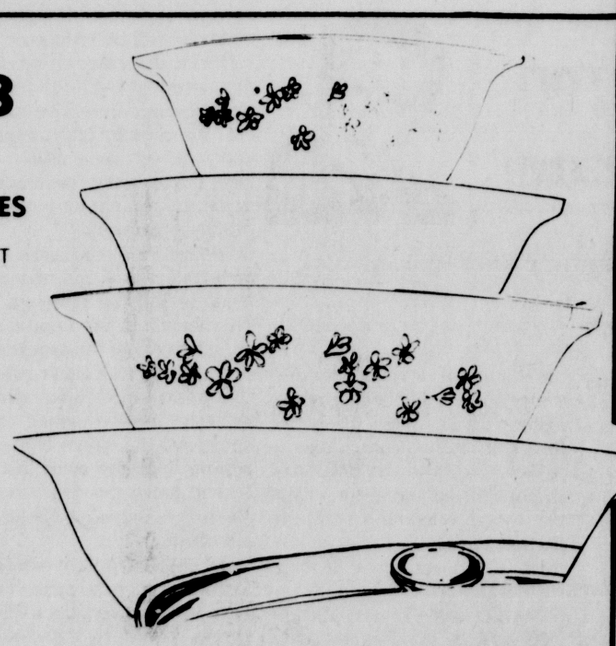

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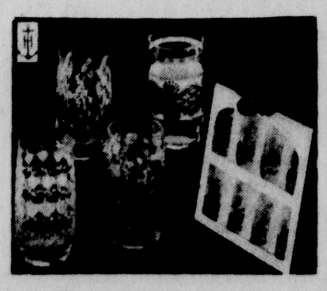

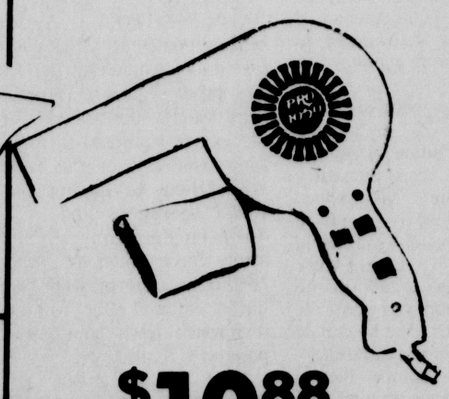

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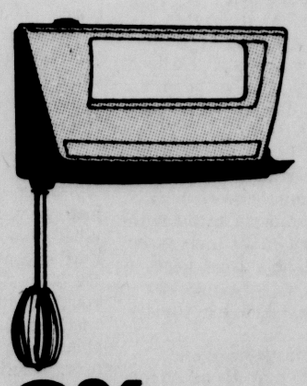

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The broom dance is popular with those who participate in the Senior Citizens Dance each Friday night at the Heritage House.

Minnie Sutton, 87, of Sikeston, and C.E. "Charlie" Stauffer, 92, of Charleston are regulars at the monthly Heritage House dance. They don't usually dance with each other, but the photographer managed to get them together for this picture. Stauffer still drives, bowls and plays horseshoes. He says he roller skated until about three years ago. Mrs. Sutton, who has a heart pacemaker, says she never danced until she started attending the Heritage House parties. Now she seldom misses a set.

Young at heart

By TONY PIPPEN
Managing Editor

There's a popular song that says "Fairy tales can come true, it can happen to you when you're young at heart."

Sikeston's senior citizens are not looking for fairy tales, but they are certainly young at heart.

A lot of their young attitude has been attributed to their association with the Heritage House, where they can find all kinds of activities to keep them occupied and put some "fun in their lives." One elderly woman said the Heritage House" is the greatest thing that's happened to us old folks."

A lot of the credit for this growing reliance on the Heritage House goes to Mrs. Kathleen Wissman, who has been director since February of 1971. The local center was opened in 1970.

Many of the senior citizens look forward to their monthly dance party held on the third Friday of each month. The next dance will be held Friday from 7 to 10 p.m. The parties are strictly for senior citizens and their guests and no drinking is allowed.

The annual Christmas party will be held Dec. 22 from 2 to 4 p.m. With Nell Brown playing the piano and Mona dement leading the group in singing of christmas carols. Gifts will be awarded to the oldest person and others.

The center is noted for its hot meals served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily at a nominal cost to center citizens. Activities at the center are too numerous to mention all of them, but they include exercise classes, ceramics classes, facilities for playing cards, reading, prayer groups, rythm band, bingo, a nutrition bazaar, making of cancer bandages and many more. Nearly 200 people eat at the Heritage house every day. Their Christmas meal will be served Dec. 23. The center will be closed Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

Volunteers from throughout the community have also successfully completed a campaign to raise $3,500 for the Southeast Missouri Transportation Service (SMTS) which enables them to keep a bus operating in this area.

Mrs. Delores Comer, who has worked as a volunteer with the SMTS program, announced this week that the fund- raising goal had been reached. She also noted that due to other obligations she will have to give up her volunteer role with SMTS, but hopes someone else can take her place with the program.

Jess A. Best, driver of the SMTS bus, keeps the vehicle busy. Best, who lives at Blodgett, leaves home three days a week to transport a woman from Charleston to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston where she undergoes treatment on a dialysis machine for four-and-a-half hours each trip. He then returns her to Charleston. He has taken others needing medical attention to hospitals in Columbia, Memphis, Tenn., and Poplar Bluff. The Division of Family Services pays for the medical trips. Best says he provides transportation for several persons who are physically handicapped or requiring medical attention. He has even hauled an 18-month-old boy.

When the bus is not in use for medical trips, Best picks up senior citizens throughout the area an takes them to the Heritage House where they eat dinner and participating in other activities.

Best, who has been driving the bus since March of 1975, says he sometimes doesn't get home until 10 or 11 at night when he mades the out-of-town medical trips. He says the district needs another bus.

Mrs. Comer said a request has already been made to the legislature for an additional bus, but it now looks like it may be next summer before those funds will be available.

The Music Makers, who play for the monthly Senior Citizens Dances are, from left, Rufus Lavender on piano, Herman Newman on rhythm guitar, Rick Hanna on bass and Carol Lutes on lead guitar.

A lively bit of stepping

Members of the Heritage House Rhythm Band, from left, are: Front row, Mabel Walter, Rubye Sims, Geneva Zimmer, Mildred Peace, Virginia Gwantley, Nell McReynolds and Fred Gwantley. Second row, Eva James, Ella Jordan, Margaret Robertson, Nellie Slaughter, Elsie McMackins, John Murphy, Herman Harris, Walsie Harris and Jovce Murphy. Pianist is Lucille Schorle. Other members of the band are Leema Duncan, Alma Goltz, Vina Haynes, Edith Knight, Minnie Sutton, Audrey Woodward and Will Zimmer. Rufus Lavender is substitute pianist.

Many of these "senior citizens" who participate in the Heritage House activities helped with a recent successful campaign to raise $3,500 to keep a Southeast Missouri Transportation System bus operating. From left, they are: Front row, Fred Sullivan, Ethel Parks, Mabel Walters, Nell McReynolds, Cathleen Gipson, Edith Knight, Mary Dalton, Violet Carpenter, Minnie Sutton, Virginia Gwantley, Rubye Sims, A.J. Anderson, Lola Cooper, Mrs. Ray Richards, Ray Richards, Joyce Murphy, Mary Ogden, Wesley Hodges, Doc Havener, Wesley Strayhorn and Henry Yount. Second row, Director Kathleen Wissman, Bill Hayden, Mrs. Charles Baker, Carl Harris, Charles Baker, Vina Haynes, William Gruen, Fred Forbis, Ella Jordan, Zendolyn Goolsby, Fred Gwantley, Virginia Nickell, Jewell Davis, Hemba Young, driver Jess Best, Charles Tisdel, Frank Pearcy, Charles Royal, Mrs. Wesley Hodges and Ted York.

Open mind

Depressed person sees no way out

Dear Open Mind:

My mental condition has deteriorated lately to the point where I am unable to do anything. I have had depressed states before, but have always been able to come out of them. A series of personal disasters have left me so down, I despair of ever coming out of it.

The only relief I get is when I get high. I've smoked marijuana daily since this depression hit, as it seems to be the only thing that can get my spirits up. I am constantly running around in a state of confusion, if not from the weed, then from the depression.

I feel I need help. I've already made one suicide attempt,and I can see another one coming, but I have no money or job. The stories I've hard about conditions at the state hospital and the Veterans Hospital make me fearful of going there.

I am at the end of my rope. I hate sitting here vegetating, but I see no end to it. I feel that anything I would do to correct the situation would be futile, as in my confused state, I am constantly changing plans, giving up, or lying (I've turned into a chronic liar).

Any assistance you may offer would be gratefully accepted.

VETERAN

Marijuana no answer

Dear Veteran:

It's obvious that you could use some help. Getting high may very well have kept the depression from getting the better of you on a short term basis but over a long period of time it is likely to make things worse.

A qualified psychiatrist or psychologist could do you a great deal more good than smoking marijuana. You could very likely be treated as an out-patient so your fears concerning public hospitals are not completely relevant at this point.

Feel free to call me personally and I will be happy to assist in any way possible. Just remember, getting high may make you feel better but it can do nothing to remove the root causes of your problem; it will only impair your ability to deal with things objectively. My number is 314-781-9070.

Bill Taylor
Executive Director
Drug & Substance Abuse Council of Metropolitan St. Louis

Services available

Dear Veteran:

Your letter sounds to me like a real call for help -- help which is available to you. Having worked at a State Outpatient Clinic, and now at the Veterans Outpatient Mental Health Clinic I know that you can obtain the services your letter indicates you need.

The fact that you feel another suicide attempt coming on is enough reason to seek help. At this point -- for you -- smoking pot every day only serves to promote more confusion and reservation over seeking treatment.

Depression and personal disasters are two of the many problems which cause people to go to an outpatient clinic. The Veterans Hospital offers services which range from psychotherapy to vocational counseling. We have clinical and counseling psychologists, psychiatric social workers and psychiatrists who are experienced in treating veterans with emotional and social problems.

Please -- don't let stories about conditions keep you from getting the help you need. Treatment is better today than ever before. Whether you go to a state clinic, the VA, or one of the many community agencies, get involved in a treatment program. Since I don't have your name I can't contact you, but if you can call me, please do. I would like to share with you what treatment is available to you in the St. Louis area.

LEONARD POWERS, M.S.W.
Psychiatric Social Worker
Mental Hygiene Clinic
V.A. Hospital, St. Louis

The nearest Vocational Rehabilitation office is at Cape Girardeau, phone 334-7701.

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Getting married?

The Daily Standard, 205 S. New Madrid St., now has new wedding forms available at the front office or at the women's desk. Business hours are from 7 a.m., to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Forms will be mailed if a self-addressed, stamped envelope is provided.

The deadline for weddings is three weeks after date of wedding. Pictures will be returned if a self-addressed, stamped envelope large enough to hold a picture is supplied. Color pictures are discouraged. There is no charge for running a wedding. We are happy to publish it.

Ann O'Leary
Women's Editor

At wit's end

Oh, the not-so-great outdoors

By ERMA BOMBECK

Okay, you all know how I feel about camping.

A Motel 6 is about as primitive as I want to get. I just cannot understand people who are turned on by swishing their silverware in a mesh bag through a stream where a dog just relieved himself.

That's why it came as a bit of surprise when Wanda called last week and said, "Before the football game next Saturday, we're going to have a tailgate buffet."

"How far is the tailgate buffet from my all-electric kitchen?"

"Don't start that again," she said. "You have to be the most boring, unimaginative person I know. Don't you ever like to try anything different? We'll pack a lunch, allow ourselves an hour or two before the game and have a fun time eating off the tailgate of the station wagon."

"You're right as usual," I told Wanda later. "This is fun. I don't think I've had so much fun since I slid down the deck of the Titanic without spilling a drop of my iced tea."

"Well, if you're not having a good time," snapped Wanda. "It's your fault ... crouching back there behind the spare tire. Why don't you stand around the tailgate like the rest of us?"

"I'm cold! Besides, the sandwich is dry."

"You're eating your glove."

I crawled out of the car and planted my feet firmly in the fresh tar, not daring to believe what I saw. The parking lot was an orgy of campers, folding tables, and tailgates. The entire football field was under siege. One lighted match and the entire place was set to blow.

"Isn't this great?" chirped Wanda. "You know, even the food tastes different out in the air."

"You're right," I said. "This doughnut tastes like it flunked its emissions test."

"One of these days," said Wanda softly, her eyes fixed vacantly, "we're going to go to a football game in a camper. We'll have our own stove where we can cook steaks and a refrigerator where we can store salads. And there'll be big, comfortable chairs and sofas where we can sit down and have a drink. We won't even have to climb into coats or boots and sit on hard bleacher seats. We'll watch the game on a colored television set in comfort."

"Wanda! You have just described your own home!"

"I knew you wouldn't understand. Are you coming?"

"A car just ran over my foot," I grimaced.

"Did anyone ever tell you you're a complainer?"

Electric crepemakers handy, fun

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

In 1924 bands were playing "Tea for Two." In 1953 theatergoers were applauding "Tea and Sympathy." In 1976 cooks are having fun serving "Tea with Blintzes" because electric crepemakers are now on the market in household size and they're all the rage.

In our own kitchen we've been turning out batches of blintzes with the help of one of these attractive small appliances. A handsome model, its 7½-inch no-stick cooking surface in black looks stunning with its shiny white base. We found it a pleasure to use because it is sturdy but lightweight and its handle is well-designed. Best of all it has a light-up signal when the crepemaker is ready to dip in the batter and again when a crepe is done. We can't think of any feature more important than this.

And now to "Tea with Blintzes." Blintzes are from Jewish cuisine — made with French pancakes and a filling of cheese — and tea is the traditional offering with them. The crepe formula we use is one borrowed from Julia Child and it works beautifully. The filling is one we dreamed up; we think you'll like its subtle vanilla-orange flavor and it holds up well during the final frying. Blintzes are great to serve for supper after a hearty soup or salad, but there are many other ways of using crepes that are worth trying.

CREPEMAKER BLINTZES

1 cup flour
2 large eggs
½ cup milk
½ cup water
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 tablespoons butter, melted
Cheese Filling, see below
Sour cream

In an electric blender whirl together all the ingredients, except the Cheese Filling and the sour cream, for about a minute; with a rubber spatula, scrape sides and stir down; whirl again until smooth — about ½ minute more. Let batter stand at room temperature for about an hour so it thickens slightly and foam subsides. Then stir and use with an electric crepemaker according to manufacturer's directions. As crepes are cooked, stack and cover with wax paper; let all the crepes stand this way about an hour at room temperature before filling to soften edges. Makes 16 crepes suitable for blintzes — the first extra one or two may be too lacy to use for this dish.

Place 2 level tablespoonfuls of the Cheese Filling toward the center of each crepe, brown side up. Flip the end of a crepe nearest the cheese over it; turn in the two parallel sides; fold over to make a neat sealed envelope. Cover well and refrigerate if not to be used right away, but bring to room temperature before frying as follows. At serving time, heat a generous amount of extra butter in a no-stick skillet over moderate heat; fast-fry the blintzes, one batch at a time, until golden-brown and crisp on the outside. Serve at once with sour cream.

Cheese Filling: Beat together with a spoon until blended a 7½-ounce package of farmer cheese and an 8-ounce package of cream cheese; stir in ¼ cup sugar, the grated rind of an orange and a teaspoon of vanilla.

Note: Some cooks like to roll the crepes over the filling without turning in the sides; in this case they arrange the blintzes in one layer in a baking dish, douse them with melted butter and heat just until warm in a moderate oven.

NEW AID—A handsome electric crepemaker turns out pancakes to use for blintzes and other dishes.

The clock in Salisbury Cathedral in England is believed to be the oldest working clock in the world. It was made around 1386.

Ann Landers

Teenage couple should find activities

Dear Ann: I'm a high school junior (17) and so is my boyfriend. We have been going steady for five months and I'm sure this is true love.

Ken works Friday nights and Saturday afternoons. Our only chance to be together is Saturday night. Ken doesn't have a car so we can't go anyplace much.

My parents know all this but instead of cooperating they hang around the house every Saturday night and watch TV until the last show is off.

Ken and I enjoy TV, too, but it's no fun when the place is crawling with relatives. Do you think this is fair, Ann? I've mentioned it to my folks and all I get is dirty looks. A word from you might help. Please say something.-- Too Many Eyes

Dear T.M.E.: If you two 17-year-olds can't think of anything better to do than sit in front of a TV on the one night in the week when you are together, I feel awfully sorry for you.

So Ken doesn't have a car. You have feet, don't you? And what about buses? Young love is beautiful, but it shouldn't mean the rest of the world should drop dead so you two can be alone. Get with it, Lovey. The burden is on you and Ken -- not your folks.

Dear Ann: I recently decided to make a career change and ran into a situation that must irk thousands of job applicants. I've never seen it mentioned in all the years I've been reading your column, and I think it's about time somebody complained.

When a company advertises employment and proudly uses its name to enhance the ad, why can't they show a little courtesy by sending the applicant a short letter thanking him or her for the resume and giving him a yea or nay?

I feel if I show an interest in a company and take the time to write a resume and a covering letter, it should at least be acknowledged by somebody. One company that failed to respond lost a long-time customer. I'll never feel the same about them.

Maybe if you print this letter a few highly respected (but inconsiderate) companies will wake up and smell the coffee. Sign me -- A Disgusted Applicant

Dear App: Seems to me your complaint is valid. As a matter of good public relations all job applicants should receive an acknowledgment and a thank you for considering the company as a prospective employee. Get on the stick. Somebody!

Dear Ann Landers: I would like to say a few words to the guy who signed himself " 'Fleeced.' He complained about office collections for brides, new babies, retirement parties, get well flowers, etc. I know this type of cheapskate. I work with a few.

Just let someone come around with a punchboard, a football pool, a hot tip on a horse or a chance on a lottery ticket and Big Mouth is the first one to put his hand in his pocket.

I work in a large office. When I was in the hospital last spring, the gang sent a beautiful bouquet of flowers. I will never forget the thrill when the nurse brought them into my room. When I read the card I almost bawled.

I never complained about shipping in for office remembrances, but after having been the recipient once it gave me a whole new understanding. Please print this, Ann. Ad.

Dear A.: I'll bet this goes up on a few office bulletin boards around the country. Thanks for writing.

There is a big difference between cold and cool. Ann Landers shows you how to play it cool without freezing people out in the booklet, "Teenage Sex - Ten Ways to Cool It." Send 50 cents in coin and along, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Ann Landers, P. O. Box 1400, Elgin, Ill. 60120.

Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Whitlock

McBee-Whitlock

HOUSTON, Tex. — Cindy McBee of Downing, Mo. became the bride of Michael Whitlock of San Antonio Nov. 20 at the Academy of Health and Sciences at Fort Sam. Officiating at the ceremony was Maj. Glen P. Hall, Army chaplain.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis McBee of Downing and the groom's mother is Mrs. Faye Jones of Sikeston, Mo. The groom's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Seymour of Matthews, Mo.

The couple's honor attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lucier. After their wedding, the couple entertained guests at a reception at their home, 120 Haywood, apartment 3, Houston.

Mrs. Whitlock works in trauma research at the Institute of Surgical Research at Ft. Sam. Her husband is a 1972 graduate of Matthews High School at Matthews and is employed at Brooke Army Medical Center in the intensive care unit.

Polly's Pointers

DEAR POLLY — My Pet Peeve is with the manufacturers of infants clothes. Nine times out of ten when I buy anything for my nine-month-old daughter the neck opening is too small to go over her head. Then I have to make the opening larger and put on a button, snap or just sew around the newly cut opening. It seems they could be made to fit in the first place. I am not alone in this. I know others who have the same trouble. — MRS. D.E.R.

DEAR POLLY — I do a lot of sewing, so I notice how many people are hemming their own slacks (they always seem to be too long) and dresses, but not pressing them out right. The original hem should be taken out and then the right length marked so there is only one thickness turned up for a smooth finish. Sprinkle a good pressing cloth with cold water and use a hot steam iron to press well. I usually press the hem in before sewing, mark, cut to desired length, hem and then press again. This will stay in no matter how often washed. Wonderful for knits as well as other fabrics. — A.M.M.

DEAR MRS. A.M.M. — After a hem is turned up and you are ready to put it in by hand, pin hem in with pins about one-half inch from edge. As you sew, use left hand to turn down about one-fourth inch of the hem and catch stitches that far from the edge. When hem is pressed in there is no sign of a hem line, if you have been careful not to let any stitches come through to the outside. Transparent nylon thread works best on all such hems even though it is a nuisance to work with. Next time you have to put a hem in a coat or wool dress be sure to try this. It is one of the best sewing tips I have ever used. — POLLY.

DEAR POLLY — I find it most helpful to keep paper, recipe cards and a pen or pencil by the television set or where I sit to read the newspaper. When watching or reading and something is read or announced that I would like to jot down, I am ready for it. Articles cut out of the paper are often misplaced. Dates of up-coming events on TV can be jotted down as well as the name of a new book, an author's name, a recipe or the address needed to answer an advertisement. — MARILYN.

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Fashion yule wishes

H arriet's wearig a shirred strapless;
A ngela's comig in flowers and flounces;
P epper mightry tiered taffeta;
P amela said a silk blouse and a long skirt would do, and
Y olanda expcts to be super chic in a man-tailored tux.

H ow are you spending Christmas?
O r New Yer's?
L ounging a home in evening pajamas?
I mbibing at a neighbor's open house, in your beige knit pantsuit?
D raped inrose chiffon in a smoky disco?
A nything goes, as long as one rule applies:
Y 'all have a good time, y'hear?

By Ellie Grossman

TORSO-HUGGING party dress flares into an easy skirt making it wearable for women of varying sizes. In silky Caprolan nylon by John Klos, it has a self-tie strap over one shoulder. This is a fashion for all seasons and travels at a bare $17.

ROMANCE IS back as reflected by this georgette shirt. It is designed by Dominic Rompollo to top a poie-de-soie skirt with satin belt and hem.

SPORTIVE look goes to make the nighttime scene in this sweater set of tweedy all-American mohair and wool blend rib knit. Long glide of jacket with short, flaring sleeves tops flattering matching tube pants.

Brunches fill up lazy Sundays

By TOM HOGE
AP Newsfeatures Writer

Time was when I regarded brunch as little more than an excuse to start drinking champagne early in the day.

Then came a Sunday when I accepted an invitation to one of these delightfully informal meals and I revised my opinion of brunch. It is an ideal way of entertaining friends without going to a lot of fuss; a splendid way to embark on a day of leisure.

Because of the hour — it usually runs from 10:30 a.m. to about 3 p.m. — brunch is a Sunday favorite. And brunch is a good time for a bracer like a Bloody Mary, followed up by a tasty dish.

It's hard to say when the idea of brunch originated, but it apparently goes back many years. For example, around the turn of the century a group of prominent businessmen in Atlanta, who called themselves the Ice Picks, used to play cards every Saturday night. The game ended around midnight, the table was cleared and a repast was served in the early hours of Sunday.

Starting off with champagne cocktails, the group went on to pretty hearty fare, featuring such gourmet dishes as roast quail, ruffled grouse or wild turkey, topped off with kidney and mushroom stew. It was a rib-sticking meal that was certainly more brunch than breakfast.

"Brunch should be a celebration, a festival of the really good dishes served during the week," says Spry.

Spry leans heavily on egg dishes for brunch but stresses that they must be something that will sustain you over the long hours until dinner.

One of the tastiest brunch specialties I have encountered is Cajun Shrimp Creole, which I found in a book of recipes put out by the Atlanta Music Club. Its creator was Mrs. Paul Hanes.

¼ cup vegetable oil
2 medium onions, sliced
1 large bell pepper, cut in strips
¼ pound fresh mushrooms, sliced
¼ cup flour
1 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon pepper
1 teaspoon oregano
2½ cups stewed tomatoes
2 pounds shelled and deveined shrimp

Heat oil in saucepan and add onions, bell pepper and mushrooms. Cook till ingredients are tender, stirring occasionally. Add flour and seasonings and mix well. Add tomatoes. Cook, stirring constantly till thickened. Cover and cook over low heat 10 minutes. Add shrimp and cook 5 minutes more. Serves 6-8. Good with chilled rose wine.

Lebanese spinach

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor
WEEKEND LUNCH
Turkey Chowder Rolls
Lebanese Spinach
Pumpkin Tarts Coffee

JONATHAN BARTLETT'S LEBANESE SPINACH

In our Test Kitchen we found this "salad" particularly delicious when made with fairly fine bulgur.

½ cup bulgur
2 tablespoons olive oil
1 onion, chopped
1 pound spinach, chopped fine
Salt and lemon juice

Soak the bulgur in about 1 cup of cold water and set aside. Heat up the oil and cook the onion over medium heat until it is soft. Wash and add the spinach with whatever water is still clinging to its leaves and stir around until it is tender — about 5 minutes or so — and salt to taste. Drain and place in a bowl. Drain the bulgur and add it to the spinach and stir it all around until bulgur is evenly distributed throughout. Refrigerate and serve cold with a little lemon juice squeezed over it just at the last minute. From "The Peasant Gourmet" by Jonathan Bartlett (Macmillan, 1975).

Cashmere lures with luxury

By Ellie Grossman

NEW YORK — (NEA) — You want good cashmere? Then get friendly with the cashmere goats in Mongolia and China and forget about those walking around Iran.

According to Arthur Dery, head of Dalton of America, the sportswear firm from Willoughby, Ohio, "Iranian cashmere is much coarser. Most of the cashmere on the market today, in fact, is of such poor quality, if I had to resort to it, I wouldn't be in the cashmere business."

But Dery is in the "cashmere business" and has been for the past 25 years. Only he insists, he said in a phone interview, on the best for the sweaters he offers America's women, along with his other conservatively styled merchandise.

Those willing to pay roughly $95 per top are investing in something that feels good, doesn't crease and, chances are, will die only of boredom.

On Dery's part, the price reflects the scarcity of the product and the headaches and processes involved in marketing it.

For starters, good cashmere costs $25 per pound. "But you only get 35 per cent pure cashmere after the guard hair is removed."

Then the hairs are sorted according to color — brown here, white there — cleaned and spun into yarn, after which there are still 21 more steps involved to produce a pretty turtleneck.

"Our cashmere is also two-ply, which means you take two strands instead of one, twist them together and then knit. It's sturdier, more luxurious and the more you clean it, the better it looks."

The Chinese apparently know all this because "they aren't breeding that many goats so they can hold up the price on good cashmere. I think they're playing a lot of politics with it."

Still, the animals themselves were active enough for Dery's designers to create 16 different sweater styles this year, in 14 colors. Among them, gray, beige and white "which is still very strong because you can wear it with everything."

Of course, 25 years ago, white cashmere was unheard of. "I kept asking the suppliers, why can't you make it without these black hairs, and they said it's impossible. But people said it's impossible to go to the moon and we're on the moon now."

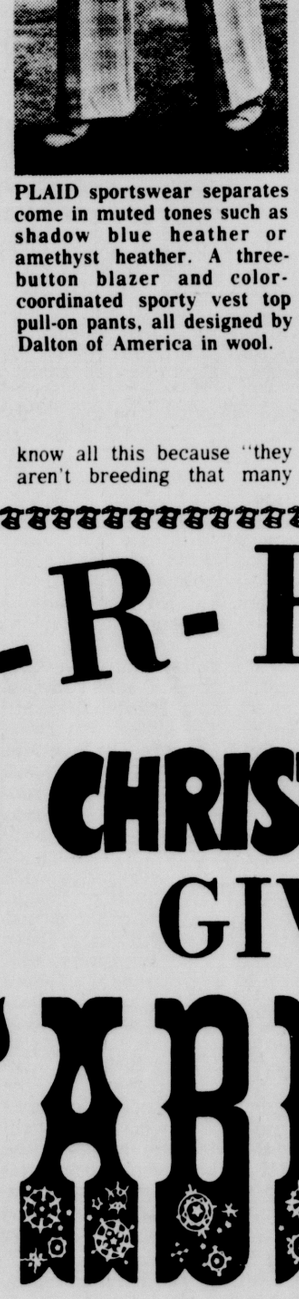
Chinese water torture won't get him to tell how it's done, but "if you spend more money and take out the imperfections, you get white cashmere." A little bleaching helps, too.

Mongolia and China also produce nice, hairy camels, for the camel hair "which is one step down from cashmere as far as luxury fabric is concerned," Dery said. But camel hair has its irritating side, too.

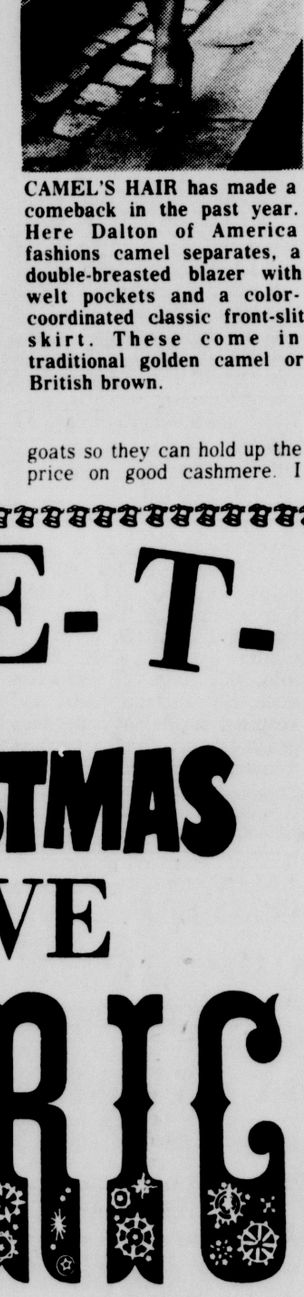
"It's so expensive today, we've been mixing 65 per cent camel hair with 35 per cent fine wool. You see, a yard of camel hair eight months ago was $8.40; now it's up to $11.60."

And Dery doesn't think any camel is worth those kind of lumps. Next year, he'll be investigating other fabric in place of it.

But as far as cashmere goes, we're not to worry. He acknowledges its position in our classic-conscious times. In fact, he's planning to stretch those cashmere sweaters into dresses for those who want to feel good all over.



PLAID sportswear separates come in muted tones such as shadow blue heather or amethyst heather. A three-button blazer and color-coordinated sporty vest top pull-on pants, all designed by Dalton of America in wool.



CAMEL'S HAIR has made a comeback in the past year. Here Dalton of America fashions camel separates, a double-breasted blazer with welt pockets and a color-coordinated classic front-slit skirt. These come in traditional golden camel or British brown.

Potato pancake recipe

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor
FAMILY DINNER
Pot Roast with Onions and Carrots
Potato Pancakes Salad
Fruit Beverage

POTATO PANCAKES

Adding caraway seed may be new to you.

3 medium baking potatoes
1 egg, slightly beaten
½ cup flour
¾ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon caraway seed
½ cup (about) peanut oil

Pare potatoes and place in a bowl of cold water as they are pared. Working with one potato at a time, pat dry and grate coarsely into a bowl containing the beaten egg. Stir in flour, salt and caraway seed. Into a large skillet pour enough oil to grease generously; heat over moderate heat. For each pancake, add 2 tablespoons batter to the hot oil and spread thin with the back of a spoon. Fry about 3 minutes on each side — until golden brown and cooked through. Add oil as needed. Makes 12 to 14 pancakes — 4 servings.

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Bogus gems glitter like gold

By Ellie Grossman

NEW YORK — (NEA) — "If I were king and you were queen, with precious gems I would befrill you."

Ronald Goldman, in the movie, "Rich or Poor, It's Good to Have Money."

Ladies, who among us has never choked on the rancid seeds of envy and coughed with longing for a bauble from Bulgari, a trifle from Tiffany?

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EYE-BOGGLING JEWELRY is modeled here by three zany New York-California artists — their creators. Real cardboard bogus jewels are worn by (top left) Richard Neibaur and the Vulgari Emerald of 16,000.83 carats; Barbara Marsten and the cursed Cohen Diamond (the curse is Mr. Cohen), and John Johnson emblazoned with the Royal Order of the Corset. These retail for approximately $2.50.

The outsized jewels are made of durable cardboard ("scissor cut"), suspended from genuine silver elastic, as opposed to ersatz silver elastic.

They were conceived and designed by the three sensitive members of Caveat Emptor's parent company, Neibaur-Marsten.

Two of them are bearded — John E. Johnson, an illustrator whose peers have dubbed him "the king of cute," and Richard Neibaur, a home furnishings and gift designer. Barbara Marsten, a toy designer who completes the triumvirate, is clean shaven, but the others don't hold this against her.

Recently, we had occasion to listen to the trio interrupt each other in Neibaur's plush apartment in Manhattan's plush East 60s.

For the occasion, Ms. Marsten, an attractive brunette, wore black. Johnson was insouciantly sophisticated in a sweater and slack ensemble, and Neibaur was striking in jeans, a candy striped polo shirt and khaki arm fatigue jacket.

On his jacket he wore one rhinestone pin spelling out LUST, one "Chapel Guide" pin and, modestly tucked on his collar, a tiny medal carrying the inscription, "80 Days in Perfect Arithmetic." "From grammar school," he explained after some coaxing.

"Neibaur-Marsten was formed two years ago when Barbara and I were introduced by a mutual friend," Neibaur began. "We . . ."

Ms. Marsten interjected, "I was interviewing artists and John Johnson walked in . . ."

Neibaur resumed, ". . . so we were all sitting around impressing each other with our brilliant wit," and discussing business which meant designing licensing programs for stationery, dinnerware, handbag and stainless steel flatware accounts.

". . . so we said, we're three perfectly nice people," he continued, "why not be rich and famous and become glamour figures for the whole world? Glamour and wealth, of course, mean fabulous jewels to start with, which is how Caveat Emptor jewelry was . . ."

Ms. Marsten seized command again, here. "We're into our third printing by the American Publishing Company which prints the jewels, which come packaged for mailing with a booklet entitled . . ."

"The booklet takes care of warranties and insurance," forayed Johnson, the most soft-spoken. "Plus service centers, how to wear them, etc."

And how one does wear them "is limited only by your imagination," Johnson mused, while the others vied for position. "You can wear the jewels around your waist . . ."

"One of them reverses to a tiara," called Ms. Marsten.

"You have to tape it to your head," Johnson explained loudly, "but then you have to wear it forever because of the tape marks."

"The jewels are also functional," Neibaur yelled. "They're plastic coated so they make terrific coaster sets and luggage tags and place mats for kids."

In short, they are the stuff of which dreams are cut, uh, made.

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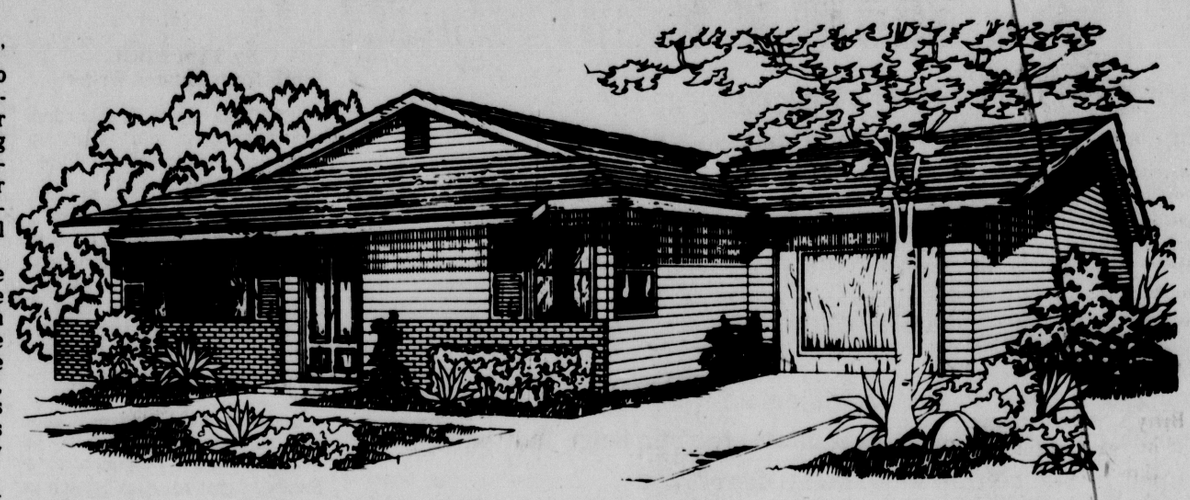

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by Larry Farnsworth

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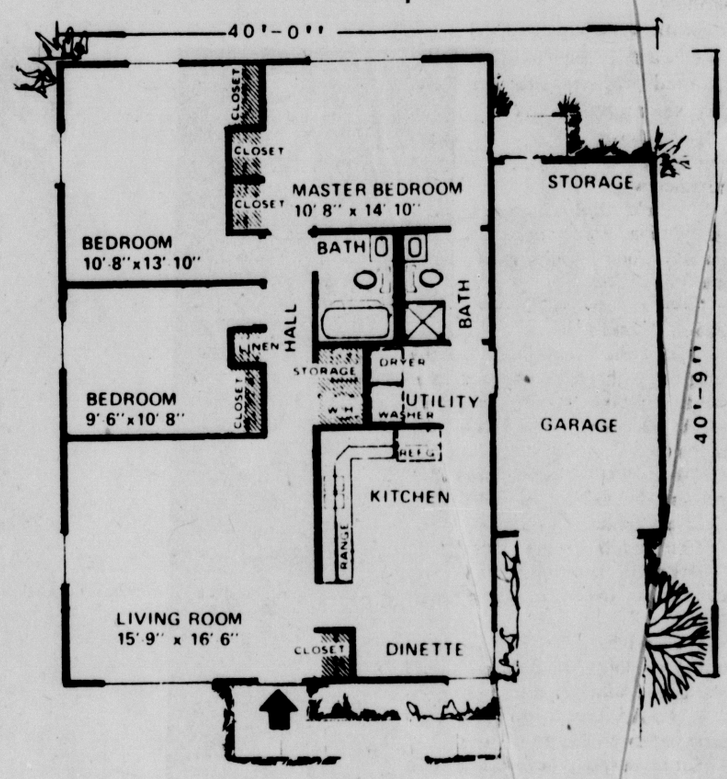

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By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

AFTER-SKIING FARE

Doughnuts Russian Tea

RUSSIAN TEA

Adapted from an out-of-print cookbook of the 50s.

- ½ cup sugar
- 2-inch cinnamon stick
- 1 teaspoon grated lemon rind
- 1½ teaspoons grated orange rind
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- ¼ cup orange juice
- ¼ cup canned unsweetened pineapple juice
- 3 tablespoons loose tea

Over moderate heat stir together the sugar, ¼ cup water, the cinnamon stick and grated rinds until sugar dissolves and mixture comes to a boil; boil 5 minutes. Remove cinnamon stick. Stir in fruit juices and keep hot but do not boil. Steep tea in 3 cups boiling water for 5 minutes; strain into other mixture; stir well. Serve hot in tea or punch cups. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

Decorating Tips

By Linda Forrest, Designer
Hardwood Institute

ENGLISH FURNITURE LATEST LOOK FOR TODAY'S HOMES

If you love the look of elegant wood styled with tasteful lines, the coming months will undoubtedly be your season to redecorate. For the first time in years, an extensive variety of English-style reproduction furniture will be available in stores, thanks to a new trend towards the classic simplicity for which the English period styles are known. Covering the gamut from Jacobean to Georgian, it's back to Merry Olde England in home furnishings today, with the accent on the highly polished genuine hardwoods that have made English period furniture famous throughout history.

The current rage for English design can largely be attributed to the fact that the simple, uncluttered lines of English period styles mix well with just about every other type of furniture, from way-out modern to angular Oriental. The grace and charm inherent in English tables, chairs and cabinets provide a welcome contrast to more ornate furnishings, while the mellow woods lend warmth to more austere surroundings.

English buffs can look forward to a resurgence of Elizabethan and Tudor furniture, known for its massive appearance and its construction out of rugged, solid oak. For those with less hearty tastes, walnut furniture styled in the period of William and Mary, with inlays and marquetry will have great appeal. Queen Anne furniture made of walnut and mahogany will also enjoy a revival, along with the mahogany furniture originally introduced by the most famous of all cabinetmakers, Thomas Chippendale. Reproductions of the late eighteenth century designs of George Hepplewhite, Thomas Sheraton and the Adam brothers will have great appeal for furniture shoppers with more formal interiors in mind. These late Georgian pieces may well bring back an interest in satinwood furniture, another of the beautiful hardwoods that played a vital role in the history of English furniture design.

Because oak, walnut, mahogany and satinwood contribute so much to the character of English furniture, be sure that the pieces you select are made of these important genuine hardwoods. Plastics and printed grains which imitate the look of real wood lack the depth and elegance so very important to the inherent design style of the furniture of the great English periods, so be careful about your selections when shopping for your English reproductions.

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- 1 pound fully ripe Concord grapes
- 1 medium orange
- 1 medium lemon
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- 1 package (2 oz) MCP powdered jam and jelly pectin
- 1 cup Karo light corn syrup
- 4½ cups sugar

Rinse and stem grapes. Pop grapes with fingers to separate pulp from skins. Place pulp in small saucepan, skins in bowl. Cook pulp, covered, over medium low heat, about 3 minutes, or until pulp is very soft. Run pulp through food mill, turning handle with care, and frequently reversing the blade to avoid crushing seeds. Rinse, quarter and seed orange and lemon. Finely grind grape skins, orange and lemon quarters in food chopper or blender. Mix with grape pulp. There should be about 2 1/4 cups. Add wine to make 3 1/4 cups. Turn into large bowl or saucepan. Slowly sift in pectin, stirring vigorously. Set aside 30 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add corn syrup, stirring well. Gradually stir in sugar. To hasten sugar dissolving, jam mixture may be heated very slightly, but do not heat to more than 100° F (lukewarm). Ladle into washed and scalded 1/2 pint freezer containers leaving 1/2-inch headspace. Cover at once with tight lids (no paraffin needed). Store in freezer; transfer to refrigerator as needed. Makes 7 (1/2-pint) containers.

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Egg foo yung pie

Chinese cuisine is truly a classic one. But many, even experienced cooks, shy away from Chinese dishes because of the chopping, stir-frying and unfamiliar vegetables as well as equipment such as a wok. Egg Foo Yung, an omelet type Cantonese dish, isn't all that difficult — especially if served a new way, as a pie.

Traditionally, Egg Foo Yung is individually fried patties served with a brown sauce. Without sacrificing the flavor or distinctive texture, this Egg Foo Yung is designed to fit the needs of today's busy homemaker. It's simply mixed, then baked in a frozen pie crust shell.

One of the secrets of Chinese cooking is to barely cook the vegetables leaving them with a crisp bite. So watch the sauteing of the celery, onions and green peppers; then mix with the rest of the ingredients and pour into the unbaked crust. When baking frozen pie crusts, always bake on a cookie sheet which assures a brown crisp bottom.

To serve, cut the pie, spoon over the brown sauce and serve with fluffy rice and green snow peas. Chinese food has never been so easy!

Egg Foo Yung Casserole

- 1 Regular Pie Crust Shell
- ½ cup sliced celery
- ¼ cup sliced green onion
- ¼ cup chopped green pepper
- 1 cup canned bean sprouts
- 1 can (4-½ oz.) medium shrimp, chopped or 1 cup cooked meat (pork, ham)
- ¼ cup chopped water chestnuts
- 6 eggs, slightly beatened
- 1 tablespoon vegetable oil

Saute celery, onion and green pepper in oil until vegetables are tender, about 5 minutes. Add remaining ingredients. Pour into pie shell. Bake in 350° oven on a cookie sheet until filling is set, about 30 minutes, cut into wedges and top with brown sauce.

Brown Sauce

- 1 cup chicken stock
- 4 teaspoons corn starch
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Santa and the Giant Fighter

By Lucrece Beale

Synopsis: Billy gets the Rosanna Ruby, and the Harp Witch puts it in a magic necklace. Then the witch said Billy must not only destroy Goko but all the giants who live with him.

CHAPTER NINE
THE LAUGHING GHOST

Billy's teeth chattered so loud he was afraid that Santa and the Harp Witch might hear it. He was brave as any boy and he was ready to fight Goko the giant. But how could he fight Goko's brothers and his cousins and his nephews?

Santa was discouraged, too. "It can't be done," he groaned. "How can one boy slay so many?"

"He doesn't have to slay them!" rasped the witch. "There are other ways."

She told them about a powerful potion which mixed in the giants' food would turn them into pigs.

"Where are we to get this potion?" asked Santa.

"From the eyes of Ha-Ha the laughing ghost," wheezed the witch. "Make Ha-Ha cry and catch his tears. Three drops will be enough!"

"Why not use this marvelous potion on Goko himself?" exclaimed Santa.

The witch shook her head. "Goko is too powerful. He cannot be turned into any other creature."

The witch gave Billy a little bottle to hold Ha-Ha's tears and she gave Santa a pair of slippers that would take them to Ghostland in seven enormous steps.

Santa put on the slippers and Billy climbed on his back and off they went. With the first step they crossed the ocean. The second step took them over a mighty mountain range. Four more steps and they crossed four continents. The seventh step brought them to Ghostland where spirits and spooks and phantoms lived and no human ever goes.

Ghosts are happy creatures. They sing and play all the day. But Ha-Ha was the happiest ghost in the land. He was called

Santa and Billy found Ha-Ha in Ghostland.

Ha-Ha because he seemed never to stop laughing.

Santa and Billy found Ha-Ha swinging in a rope swing hung from a weeping willow tree. He was dressed in a white sheet that billowed around him like a sail. He was singing a laughing children's song.

How in the world could they get tears from such a joyful creature?

Santa told him who they were and why they had come. Ha-Ha said it was impossible to get tears from him. He had never cried in his life.

"Then," said Santa, "the moon will never rise again."

Ha-Ha laughed. "I don't like moonlight," he said.

"The giant will force the Fairy Queen to marry him," said Santa. "He will be King of all Fairyland."

"That's nothing to me," laughed Ha-Ha.

"The giant has vowed to capture me on Christmas Eve," said Santa.

"Ha ha!" laughed Ha-Ha.

"There will be no more Christmas," said Santa.

Ha-Ha stopped laughing. "No more toys? No more stockings? No more Christmas trees? Not even for ghosts?"

"Not for anyone in all the world," said Santa.

Tears came in Ha-Ha's eyes. They began to roll down his cheeks. "Never Christmas again!" he sobbed. "How sad!"

Billy held out his little bottle and caught Ha-Ha's tears as they dropped from his chin. In two minutes the bottle was full.

"It's all right now," smiled Billy. "Thank you for your help."

But Ha-Ha kept right on crying. "No more Christmas!" he sniffed. "How will we ever manage?"

"We will manage I think!" promised Santa and he strode out of Ghostland with Billy on his back.

They came to the cave where Goko the giant had hidden the moon. Santa took off the Harp Witch's slippers and gave them to the boy.

Then Santa said, "You have the magic words to unlock the moon and the ruby necklace and Ha-Ha's tears. This is all the help I can give you. I must return to Santa Land now for the Fairy Queen said the rest must be done by you alone."

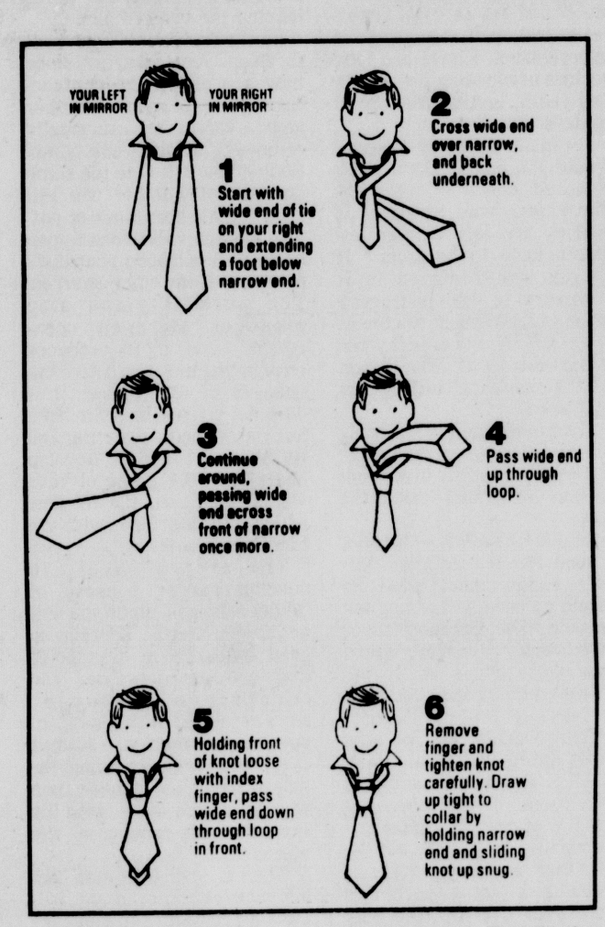
Billy nodded solemnly. He clutched his wooden sword and went alone into the cave.

Tomorrow: Goko the Giant

'Tom Sawyer' to air

Celeste Holm (with parasol), as Aunt Polly, Johnny Whitaker (carrying basket), playing the title role of Tom, and Warren Oates (second from right), portraying Muff Potter, star in the musical adaptation of "Tom Sawyer," a special two-part presentation to be rebroadcast Tuesday, Dec. 14 and Tuesday, Dec. 21 (7:00-8:00 PM, CST) on the CBS Television Network.

Okay, fumblers, here's how



NEW YORK — (NEA) — Boys and young men, women and girls, still are jumping into man-tailored jackets and suits. This means that learning to tie a tie after years of open-collared shirts has become a universal fashion dilemma.

Windsor and Half-Windsor knots are generally too bulky for youngsters' and women's necks, so coping with the classic four-in-hand is the simpler and more balanced solution for those who want a tie that is complimentary to their physique.

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Neckwear manufacturers now offer tie versions dimensioned for all ages and sizes in a full range of styles and patterns. For pre-teens and teenagers, the easy-care polyesters and nylons with their silky appearances may be more economical and durable than the real thing.

However, the fiber — despite arguments to the contrary — is less important in a tie holding its shape than proper care.

First, when removing a tie, exactly reverse the steps in tieing it. Don't pull it through the small knot, which increases wrinkling. Allow two or three days between wearings so the inevitable creases can fall out. Hanging ties freely on specially-designed racks helps. Exceptions, according to the Men's Tie Foundation, are knitted ties. These should be rolled or folded and stored in a drawer so they don't lose their shape.

Try cooking sweet potatoes tempura style in a light batter, quickly fried in hot peanut oil.

Woodward to be show's narrator

Award-winning actress Joanne Woodward will be the on-camera narrator for "Little Women," the ballet version of the Louisa May Alcott novel to be colorcast as an NBC-TV "Special Treat" Tuesday (4-5 p.m. NYT).

Edward Villella will provide original choreography for the ballet and also dance the principal role of tutor John Brooke.

Woodward will portray Mrs. March, who reminisces about her daughters' years of growing up. In the ballet, the role of Mrs. March will be danced by Carol Sumner.

Woodward won an Oscar in 1957 for her performance in "The Three Faces of Eve" and was honored with the New York Film Critics Award in 1967 for "Rachel, Rachel." Other films include "The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds," "Summer Wishes, Winter Dreams," "The Long Hot Summer," "From the Terrace," "A Fine Madness" and "WUSA."

She is married to actor Paul Newman and they live in Connecticut with their three daughters. A ballet enthusiast, she is active in helping dance companies and often attends performances in New York City.

Robert Maxwell composed original music for "Little Women." Sid Smith is director; June Reig, writer-producer.

Musical special to air

A kindly clockmaker, a friendly family of mice and a sensitive Santa Claus join together to add holiday cheer during the coming Yuletide season when " 'Twas the Night Before Christmas," a halfhour musical special narrated by Joel Grey and adapted from Clement Moore's famous Christmas poem, is rebroadcast Friday (8:30-9:00 PM, ET) on the CBS Television Network.

Featured in the special are the voices of Tammy Grimes as Albert Mouse, John McGiver as the mayor of Junctionville, and George Gobel as Father Mouse.

The town of Junctionville is troubled that Santa Claus will pass over their village when they find that his feelings have been hurt by an unsigned letter to the editor of the local paper denouncing him as a myth. Sensitive Santa has returned the town children's letters marked "Not Accepted by Addressee." Only the scholarly Albert Mouse, who resides in the walls of Trundle House, seems to ignore the situation. Could he have written the letter to the editor?

Pumpkin pecan pie

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3 tablespoons butter or margarine
Dark brown sugar
1-3rd cup chopped (medium-fine) pecans
Unbaked 9-inch pie shell with high fluted rim
3 eggs
1½ cups canned pumpkin
½ cup granulated sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1½ teaspoons pumpkin-pie spice
1 cup evaporated milk diluted with ½ cup water and scalded
½ cup heavy cream, whipped

Cream butter with 1-3rd cup firmly packed dark brown sugar; stir in pecans; press over bottom of pastry shell. Bake in a preheated 450-degree oven 10 minutes; cool on wire rack. Beat eggs slightly; stir in pumpkin, ½ cup firmly packed dark brown sugar, the granulated sugar, salt and spice; beat in scalded milk mixture. Pour into pie shell. Bake in a preheated 350-degree oven until center is soft but set — 50 minutes. Serve just warm topped with unsweetened whipped cream. Adapted from "The Family Circle Cookbook."

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

The man who boasts that he doesn't care what he says finds his listeners feel exactly the same way.

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New Madrid--Mr. and Mrs. Hillary Boone of Morehouse spent Wednesday in New Madrid visiting relatives.

Morehouse-- The Cape College Glee Club rendered a fine program to a large appreciateive audicence Monday night.

40 years ago
December 12, 1936

Oran -- Clarence Byers and family were over from Bell City Sunday.

Pleasant Valley--Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dame and children, Naomi, Nora Jo, Virginia, and Robert Earl, visited friends and relatives at Crowder and Vanduser Sunday.

Matthews School notes. The third lyceum number of the year will be presented at the school auditorium Thursday. This will be a program of fun, magic, mystery, and ventriloquism by the Loring Campbell Co.

R. D. Watson, an East Prairie merchant, was fatally injured late Sunday when the car he was driving alone on Highway 55, a mile south of East Prairie, struck a concrete bridge.

30 years ago
December 12, 1946

Arthur Cunningham, paper hanger and carpenter of Sikeston, was found dead in bed Monday at the Jefferson Hotel, where he made his home. He died of a heart attack.

Ernest Grant, prominent farmer of north of Sikeston, died early Monday according to word received by relatives in Sikeston.

Sikeston, with three places, dominated the 1946 Semo Conference All Star football team as picked by the coaches of conference teams for the American Republic at Poplar Bluff. Jack Mitchell at left tackle; G. H. Lewis at right end; and Bob Deneke at fullback were named to the first team. Lackey of Sikeston was named at right guard on the second team; and Weekley of Sikeston was named at center on the third team. Honorable mention was given Bryant at guard, and Boardman and Halter in the backfield.

Dr. W. Gaines Lynch, 44, superintendent of the state training and agricultural school for boys at Nashville, Tenn., and a former resident of Charleston, died Saturday of a heart attack.

On December 7, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Horseley at Southeast Missouri Hospital, Cape Girardeau, and has been given the name of Mary Lou. Mrs. Horsley is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Taylor, 303 Franklin. Mary Lou is also the great granddaughter of Mrs. Nellie Estes of the Franklin address.

20 years ago
December 12, 1956

Babies born at the Delta Community Hospital are reported as follows: A baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Alva C. Jones of Parma; and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Smith of Lilbourn are parents of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Moore have received word from their son, Sgt. J. D. Moore and wife that they are parents of a daughter born November 27. Sgt. and Mrs. Moore have resided in Augsburg, Germany since February 19. Mrs. Moore is the former Freda Mae Holden, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Holden, also of Sikeston.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hurst of Oran Friday at St. Francis Hospital in Cape.

James Henry Cohen, 207 West Trotter street, died this morning at the Delta Community Hospital, where he had been a patient the past month. He was 77 years old.

Monday, Dennis Ziegenhorn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ziegenhorn, entertained with a theatre party for a group of his friends to celebrate his ninth birthday.

The Missouri Sportswriters Association today announced the 1956 All-State Football teams. Only one Southeast Missouri boy was named to the starting eleven, and he was Jerry Arant, star tackle for the Poplar Bluff Mules. Three Sikeston Bulldogs received All-State honorable mention. Tony Heckemeyer was picked at tackle; Joe humes at guard; and Jerry Throgmorton at quarterback.

Ham, turkey pair up for versatile holiday

By TOM HOGE
AP Newsfeatures Writer

When I was a child, Christmas meant a week of fun in the home of my grandparents in Virginia.

The climax was the Yuletide feast built around a great turkey flanked by a Smithfield ham such as only a Southerner can cook, and a bowl of creamy oyster stew.

The meal was preceded by a rich eggnog, of which the youngsters were only allowed a couple of spoonfuls, accompanied by celery, pickles and bits of savory sausage.

The meal was climaxed by a damp, rich fruit cake spiked with bourbon whisky and enough homemade cookies to satisfy a small army of hungry grandchildren.

In later years when I came home from school and college to the Long Island home of my parents, we often replaced the traditional turkey with a prime rib roast of beef with oven browned potatoes and creamed onions. But I cannot remember a holiday without ham, often sent to us by relatives in Virginia. Usually it was served with candied sweet potatoes, a combination we also had at Easter.

Ham, both fresh and cured, has a history that goes back a lot farther than turkey. It was the centerpiece at pagan festivals long before Christmas existed.

Legend has it that Columbus brought eight pigs with him on his second trip to the Americas.

When De Soto landed at Charlotte Harbor, Fla., in 1539, he brought with him 13 hogs. It didn't take the Indians long to acquire a fondness for roast pork and records show that the Spanish encampment was burned twice by Braves trying to get at the growing stock of pigs. Years later, when the French explored the Mississippi River, the Indians fed them pork descended from the original De Soto herd.

Ham is also a Christmas favorite in Europe, and here is a recipe I obtained years ago for baked ham with brandy sauce from the Charentais region of France. To make it easier for housewives with small apartment kitchens I substitute canned ham.

1 canned ham, about 5 pounds
¼ cup apple juice
¼ cup cognac
¼ cup corn syrup
¼ cup brown sugar
1 tablespoon dry mustard
Whole cloves, pineapple and maraschino cherries for decoration

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Mix apple juice, cognac, corn syrup, brown sugar and mustard together and brush on ham after studding it with cloves. Bake for 1 hour basting frequently with above mixture. Garnish with pineapple slices and cherries. Good with a chilled rose wine.

USE THE DAILY STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

Comedy team enjoys success

NEW YORK (AP) — A year ago, who heard of 'em?

Penny Marshall remembers the day: "The audience was half asleep and me and this other girl came on, with 14 pages to do, they didn't know who the heck we were, and it got laughs. And the audience that had sat there three hours, and all of a sudden, 'Well, these two girls,' and I said, 'Wait, it's got something.'"

"Laverne & Shirley" was airborne, mid-season, overnight.

"We were terrified. I mean we were terrified either direction it might take," recalls Cindy Williams, who became Shirley Feeney to Miss Marshall's Laverne DeFazio. "We were certain we were going to go into the toilet."

The sudden success of the ABC-TV series, born of another ABC hit, "Happy Days," has the stars still mystified. "We gave it 13 weeks," says Miss Marshall.

"The phenomena of that kind of popularity where you're before 50 million people one night each week, it's something you dream about when you have inklings of becoming an actress," says Miss Williams, who has a string of movies — "Travels With My Aunt," "American Graffiti," "The Conversation" — to her credit. "And then it happens to you and the dangdest sort of chemical reaction takes place. You love it and at the same time you're frightened of it, scared one day maybe they'll take it away."

"We didn't know whether they'd like us," says Miss Marshall, whose own career included lots of TV work — co-star in "Friends and Lovers" with Paul Sand, appearances in "The Mary Tyler Moore Show," "The Bob Newhart Show," "The Odd Couple," many others.

"To go into a show for two very insecure girls, and the show does hinge on the people liking us, and to say this show will be a hit, first-rate, I mean, I don't feel that. And to be told what makes it is they like you two girls and the girls you are playing ... "

And it was in that frame of mind the girls tackled "Laverne & Shirley Sing," an LP album of "oldies" jst out from Atlantic.

"Our reaction to the album was very mixed," says Miss Marshall. "We were working very hard on our show, so the thought of doing an album cut into the time we were devoting to a show and still trying to figure out what the heck we were doing there.

"And we kept saying no on the premise we didn't feel we could sing and, yeah, we didn't have the time to do it."

But Paramount Television was insistent.

So Laverne & Shirley cut "Laverne & Shirley Sing" in a couple days. The "oldies" were picked — by the girls — for a variety of reasons: They liked the sound of "Easier Said Than Done" and "Da Do Ron Ron." They wanted a fast one — "I'm Walkin.' Some were in "character" — Laverne & Shirley character.

They did the record because they had little choice, but Penny Marshall and Cindy Williams did it their way. And though they're pleased with the show's success — and their own popularity — they don't seem to like the notion of a Laverne & Shirley cult.

Dr. Lamb

Woman questions ovary removal

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — My doctor has recommended I have a hysterectomy. I would be grateful for your opinion. I am 47 and use an IUD. I can't take the pill because of hypertension. I have had long periods of bleeding for around two years, lasting from 20 to 90 days.

I want to keep my ovaries. Would you advise them to be removed, and if so why? My Pap smear was negative. If ovaries are left in does estrogen have to be taken? If ovaries are removed is it necessary to take estrogen? What is the danger of cancer of the vagina and breast when taking estrogen? What could be the results if estrogen is not taken?

My mother died in her early 50s from cancer of the cervix so I really want my uterus out but am in a quandry about the rest.

DEAR READER — It is not a good idea to tie your doctor's hands about what he should do once he is doing the surgery. The decision about your ovaries may well depend upon what he finds. If the ovaries are diseased you may be better off without them.

Your ovaries will be nonfunctioning anyway very shortly. You are close to the menopause if you have not already started it. After the menopause you will not be getting any significant amounts of female hormones from your ovaries. The only function your ovaries could serve then would be to cause trouble for you later.

The biggest danger in leaving the ovaries is in ovarian cancer, which accounts for about five per cent of all cancer deaths in women. It is difficult to treat because it is usually not detected until it has spread. This consideration alone, in a woman nearing the change of life or having already been through the menopause, is a good reason to remove the ovaries at the time of a hysterectomy. In a younger woman with healthy ovaries it might be worth leaving the ovaries alone.

I am not sure why you want to keep your ovaries since they are or will be nonfunctioning very soon. Whether your ovaries are surgically removed or just quit functioning you still face the same question of whether you will need female hormones or not. The answer will depend upon how much estrogen your body produces from other sources. The adrenal gland also produces estrogen compounds, and if it produces enough you may not notice the changes of menopause. If it does not you are likely to have hot flashes with sweating and flushing. You may develop changes in the lining of your vagina and even the bladder which will interfere with the function of both.

You are not likely to develop cancer because of taking estrogen, since you will not have a uterus. There is no good evidence at this point that estrogen increases the occurrence of cancer anywhere else in the body. In point of fact there are studies that show women taking estrogen have less cancer than women who do not — with the exception of cancer of the uterus.

When a young woman has her ovaries removed she will have a premature menopause — a surgical menopause. In these instances female hormones are usually prescribed.

To give you more information about the menopause I am sending you The Health Letter number 5-12. Others who want this information can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Just send your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

What's the law?

The case of the weeping owner

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

Ruby was a follower of the Sport of Kings. One day she drove her car into a parking lot adjacent to a race track, pulled into an empty space, locked her car, dumped the keys into her purse and optimistically entered the portals of the racing emporium.

She proceeded to lose not only the equivalent of her shirt, but her car as well. Having dropped a small bundle on the nags, she returned to the parking lot to find that her automobile had been stolen.

While Ruby had lost her bucks with all the grace of a true horse player (she bit her lips quietly), she wept openly at the theft of her car and sued the operator of the parking lot for her loss.

"When I went to the track," she told the judge, "I knew I was risking the disappearance of my money, but not that of my car. The operator of the parking lot had a duty to protect it for me."

"Nonsense!" responded the parking lot proprietor. "I never agreed to protect her car. All I did , in effect, was to rent her a space in which to park it. If Ruby wanted protection, she should have gone to Camelot, not to a race track."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make the proprietor of the parking lot pay Ruby for her stolen car?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that Ruby had retained possession of her car at all times. She parked it herself, locked it and kept the keys. All the parking lot proprietor did was give her permission to leave her car in his lot. This, concluded the judge, imposed upon him no liability for its theft.

(Based upon a 1969 New York Civil Court Decision)

The pastor speaks

He comes as a babe

Dr. Arthur C. Fulbright

He comes as a babe! Only God could have thought of such a thing as this! Our human nature is such that we are far too anxious to impress others. We surround the coming of VIPs with expensive publicity. We roll out the red carpet, line up the local dignitaries, and make sure that the media gives the story full cover! Even the launching of a new model of a car or the marketing of some new detergent will be given the full treatment.

But when God's only Son came into the world, he chose to be born to an humble girl who was betrothed to a village carpenter, just at the time when a census involved them in a long and difficult journey.

We expect our own children to be born in the clinical atmosphere of a maternity ward or in the comfortable surroundings of our homes. But he was born in a stable- because there was no room for them in the inn. Yet the magic of that simplicity, with its humble backdrop of ox and ass standing by, has captivated the hearts of men and women down the ages. Children, too, are quite naturally at ease with the Son of God who came as a baby in a manger.

Does not this question our own assumption that we must impress others with our importance and learning? Or with our wealth and position? Do we thus create barriers so that other folk feel out of place?

Cabbage pork

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

CHINESE-STYLE SUPPER
Won-Ton Soup
Cabbage Pork Rice
Fruit Cup Almond Cookies

PHYLL'S CABBAGE PORK
Economical and flavorsome.
4 tablespoons peanut oil
1 pound boneless pork loin, cut in thin strips
1 medium onion, cut in thin strips
5 cups firmly packed shredded (¼ inch wide strands) cabbage
1 thin slice ginger root, minced
1 large clove garlic, minced
Sauce Mixture, see below

In a 12-inch skillet heat 2 tablespoons of the oil. Over moderate heat, stir-fry the pork until cooked through — about 3 minutes. With a slotted spoon, remove pork. To skillet add remaining oil, the onion, cabbage, ginger and garlic; stir-fry just until vegetables are slightly cooked — 3 to 5 minutes. Add the Sauce Mixture and stir constantly until thickened. Makes 4 hearty servings.

Sauce Mixture: Stir together 3 tablespoons cornstarch, 1 teaspoon sugar, 2 tablespoons soy sauce and 1 tablespoon dry sherry; gradually stir in 2 chicken bouillon cubes dissolved in 2 cups hot water, keeping smooth.

Celery peas

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

FAMILY DINNER
Meat Loaf Baked Potatoes
Celery Peas Tomato S lad
Peach Pudding Bev age

CELERY PEAS
The optional pimiento adds attractive color.
17-ounce can small early peas
1 cup diced (¼-inch) celery
1 tablespoon butter or margarine
Canned drained pimiento, diced (if desired)

Drain the liquid from the peas into a 1-quart saucepan; add the celery. Boil gently, covered, until tender-crisp — 3 to 5 minutes. Add peas and butter; reheat. If used, stir in the pimiento. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

To prevent a cabbagy smell as brussels sprouts cook, put a walnut in the pot. For some reason this cuts down the cooking odor.

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FLOUNDER $2.19 EA — STUFFED
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SIDE GLANCES — by Gill Fox

"I'm not interested in getting ahead. I just want to keep from falling farther behind!"

THE FAMILY CIRCUS® — By Bil Keane

"I can't reach the paper towels."

Today in U.S. history

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, Dec. 12, the 347th day of 1976. There are 19 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

In 1642, the Dutch navigator Abel Tasman discovered New Zealand.

On this date:

In 1792, 22-year-old Ludwig Van Beethoven paid 19 cents for his first music lesson — from Franz Joseph Haydn.

In 1804, Spain declared war on Britain.

In 1894, Japanese troops invaded Korea.

In 1937, the U.S. gunboat Panay was sunk by the Japanese on the Yangtze River in China.

In 1944, Tokyo was partially evacuated because of firebombing by American planes.

In 1964, Kenya became an independent republic within the British Commonwealth.

Ten years ago: Former President Dwight Eisenhower was reported in good condition after an operation for the removal of his gall bladder.

Five years ago: President Richard Nixon arrived in the Azores for a meeting with President Georges Pompidou of France.

One year ago: Sara Jane Moore pleaded builty in San Francisco to charges of attempting to kill President Ford Sept. 22.

Today's birthday: Frank Sinatra is 61.

Thought for today: It is impossible, in our condition of society, not be sometimes a snob. — W.M. Thackeray, English writer, 1811-1863.

Bicentennial footnote: Two hundred years ago today, the American Continental Congress moved from Philadelphia to Baltimore as British forces advanced toward the Pennsylvania city.

Thev'll Do It Every Time

OUR BOARDING HOUSE — with Major Hoople

AMY — By Jack Tippit

"Archie, what's a nice dog like you doing in a place like this?"

MARY WORTH by Ernst Saunders

THE PHANTOM by Falk & Berry

STEVE CANYON by Milton Caniff

FUNNY BUSINESS — By Roger Bollen

"I TOLD BELVEDERE HE COULD TOSS THE SALAD. NOW WHAT'S ALL THE COMMOTION?"

ALLEY OOP by Grave

CAPTAIN EASY by Crooks & Lawrence

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Sunday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Keep	31 Changes	61 Wonders
2 Buy	32 A	62 Problems
3 A	33 Are	63 New
4 Make	34 You	64 And
5 Do	35 Alarmed	65 Things
6 Plans	36 Outlines	66 Inattentive
7 Impulsive	37 Where	67 Accusations
8 Romantic	38 Straight	68 Further
9 Companion	39 In	69 Concerned
10 Your	40 And	70 Person
11 Consideration	41 May	71 Surprised
12 Speech	42 Be	72 That'll
13 Pays	43 Can	73 Refusing
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5 Coffin stand
9 Breed of dog
12 Off-white
13 Spirit
14 Stage of history
15 Strike repeatedly
16 Lower appendages
17 Auricle
18 Thesis
20 Chain
22 By birth
24 Sample
25 Saliva
29 Americans (sl.)
33 Lowest form of wit
34 Dogmata
36 In good order
37 Behold (Lat.)
39 Send forth
41 Bent to one side
42 Headmasters
44 Paul, for one
46 Over (poetic)
48 Cyst
49 Uncoordinated
53 Singer Bob ____
57 Tavern
58 Egg cell
60 Cab
61 Badly
62 Festival
63 Sword handle
64 Laugh syllable
65 Worry
66 Summers (Fr.)

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1 Nixon pal Rebozo
2 Applies frosting
3 Epochs
4 Nodding
5 Barrel (abbr.)
6 Angers
7 Octave
8 Prayer beads
9 Furtive glimpse
10 Russian river
11 Station (Fr.)
19 Abominable snowman
21 Rosy
23 Besides
25 Went quickly
26 Brownish purple
27 Indian of Peru
28 Jane Austen title
30 Eft
31 Philosopher Marx
32 Eye infection
35 Drinks
38 Son of Seth
40 Leaping creature
43 Began (2 wds.)
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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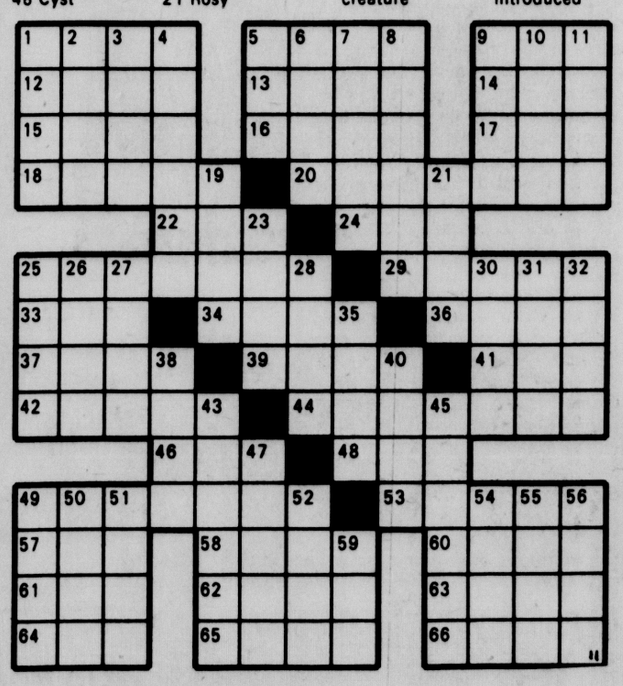

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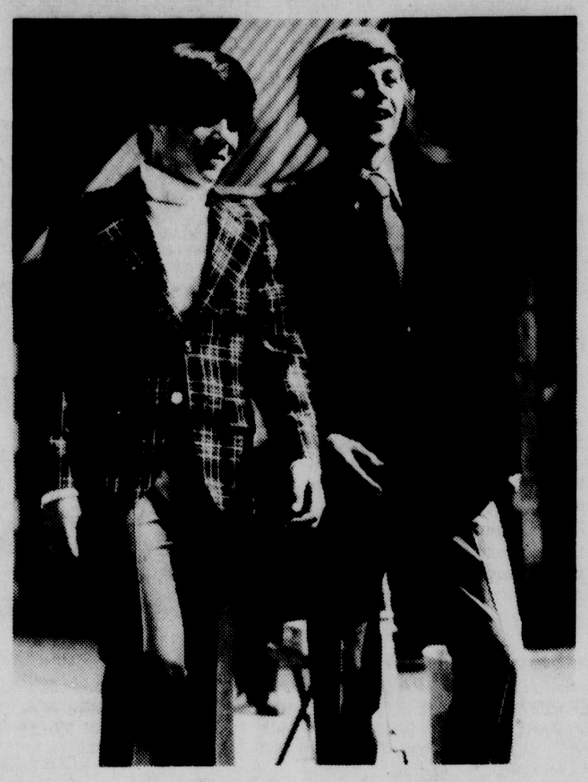
Suits don't need occasions

By Charles Hix



NEW YORK — (NEA) — The wedding was in June. The bride's relatives are still beaming. Not about the bride's beauty or the bridegroom's nervousness but because of her younger brother Bobby's attire. They'd never seen the 14-year-old in a suit before. Bobby looked terrific.

Although there always have been special occasion suits — suits for his first communion, his bar mitzvah, his high school graduation — this year lots of boys, teenagers and young men are dressing up without an occasion. It's the tenor of the time, even if their voices are still changing.

Norman Karr, the executive director of Men's Fashion Association of America, notes, "Prior to this last Easter, stores started reporting tremendous interest in suits, jackets and slacks for youngsters. Apparently the kids decided on this look without adult prompting. I have a hypothesis. All the summer TV re-runs pictured detectives in three-piece vested suits. As Citizens of the Television World, lots of kids saw this 'new' way of dressing and liked it. Could it be that Kojak is responsible for younger males dressing up?"

Whatever the reason, everyone approves. Especially makers of boys' and young men's tailored clothing. For them, the trend means nifty sales figures. At Calvin Clothes, one of the country's leading producers of boyswear, senior vice president Larry Abelson divulges there will be a 50 per cent increased volume within dress-up categories (suits, blazers, sports jackets and tailored trousers) for this season over last.

Boys' clothing is offered in sizes 6-20. In industry parlance, sizes 6-12 are called Junior, 13-20 are Prep. There is little or no correlation between size and age, since usually the size of a garment is a couple years ahead of the boy's chronological age: A boy of 12 seldom wears that size and may require a size 14 or 16. A Junior suit in the Calvin line averages about $57 retail; a Prep suit about $77. Designers labels from Cardin and John Weitz are also marketed by Calvin with higher price tags.

"The beginning of the dress-up explosion coincided with the fast drop in popularity of the leisure suit," says Abelson. "Up to a few years ago, 'vested' was a dirty word in boyswear. Now it's as important for boys as for men."

A spokesperson for J.P. Stevens, the textiles giant, also notes that fabrics like fine woolens, previously presumed to have primarily adult appeal, are being used extensively in boyswear, particularly among designer collections.

With the rebirth of dressier clothing among young males, boys' dress shirts are also enjoying an upsurge. Al Leventhal, vice president of sales for Van Heusen Boyswear, remarks, "Comparing our fourth quarter fall business this year to 1975, we've seen that the long sleeve shirt is now definitely a dress-up business. Last year, about 15 per cent of the quarter's orders were in dress shirts, 85 per cent in more casual prints. This year, the exact reverse — about 85 per cent in dress shirtings."

The trend is not isolated to the Northeast, as many critics suggest. In fact, most boyswear manufacturers point to the rapid acceptance of dressier styles in the Heartland.

Representative of boyswear buyers who are pulsing the new flow of clothing is Betty Miller at The Union in Columbus, Ohio. She's projecting a 10-15 per cent increase this year in tailored "classics" for boys. Ms. Miller remarks that this figure might have been higher, except that the specialty store's competitors have augmented their stocks this year. Last year they were very light while The Union had already successfully begun the plunge.

Noting that blazers outsell suits in Junior (12 and under) sizes, she says that suits are the first choice in the larger Prep sizes.

"The most important aspect in choosing a first suit is the fit. To look good, it shouldn't appear sloppy or skimpy. It's not good simply to buy a suit that's too big for the boy to 'grow into.' Since there's not much excess fabric in boy's suits for letting out, it's better to buy a suit and have it altered to take up the sleeve length and the seat of the pants, which can be let out later. On the other hand, a tight fit should always be discouraged. Interestingly, we're finding that a lot of mature but small men are shopping our department for proper fit and price advantage."

Unfortunately, depending upon a boy's or young man's build, the price advantage may not correspond to fittability. Generally, in a sports jacket or suit coat, adding 16 inches to the sizes determines the chest size of the garment. For example, a boy's size 16 has a 32-inch chest expanse; a size 18 has a 34-inch chest measurement. In pant sizes, no easy formula exists, but size 16 trousers have 27 and one-half-inch waists, while size 18 has 28 and one-half inches.

For some physiques, this "drop" — the differential between chest and waist — is too meager. This fit problem, combined with pricing considerations, has led Pierre Cardin to introduce a new line of clothing called the Avant Garde collection. The designer's most inexpensive suiting line for men (about $135 for a single-breasted, vested model), the suits have an eight-inch drop. A size 36 (for the chest) has a 28-inch waist on the trousers.

"The concept is definitely for the young man," explains Harold Schlack, manager of the Avant Garde line. "His age is probably 18 to 24, but he could be younger or older depending upon his build and finances. Having grown up in jeans, he may be buying his first suit for his first job, but he doesn't want a lumpish, schoolboy look. He wants natural fibers and a sense of style without an exorbitant price tag. This is a whole new market. The groundswell hasn't been fully felt yet. But the mood of the country is changing, especially in the Midwest, in Omaha, in Colorado, in the farmlands of Pennsylvania. Youth is settling down. And that means dressing up. Everyone's talking about younger men becoming more fashion-conscious but the phenomenon is only beginning."

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN)

Bates, Collins star in new horror film

Ralph Bates

The most important thing about acting, according to British star Ralph Bates, is making the audience "believe."

And that's just what Bates does in his new terror-drama, "The Devil Within Her."

Bates' background was certainly aimed in a totally different direction from acting. Both his parents were psychiatrists in Bristol, England, and his maternal grandfather was the great French scientist, Louis Pasteur. He had always intended to become a doctor himself.

However, when Bates caught the acting fever in school, neither of his parents pushed him. He admits, though, that they probably doubted the wisdom of his choice when his first paid performance brought in a whopping $3, for three weeks work.

Bates will admit he's doing better than that now.

Peter Sasdy directed "The Devil Within Her," which also stars Joan Collins, Donald Pleasance and Eileen Atkins. The screenplay was written by Stanley Price from the original story by executive producer Nato De Angeles.

Joan Collins

"I certainly wouldn't want to be labeled a 'queen or horror'," stated lovely Joan Collins, "but I thoroughly enjoyed making "The Devil Within Her."

In "The Devil Within Her," Ms. Collins plays the mother of a baby born with a disturbing, apparently in-built hatred of its own parents, especially her.

"The terrifying thing about it," she says, "is the developing implication that the child is somehow connected with several mysterious murders."

"There is some violence in the film," she stated, "but I would far rather be in a horror film, which is recognizable as pure fantasy, than in a movie depicting brutal violence and sadistic sex."

Ms. Collins claims that parts for women today fall into definite categories, listing them as the "horror heroine," the "harassed heroine" of the super-normal and murder yarn, and the sexy-bird-look role.

Her favorite roles are in comedy, which is becoming popular again. She explains that in a comedy an actor must stretch himself to the limits of his abilities. Making people laugh and keeping them laughing is much harder than frightening them.

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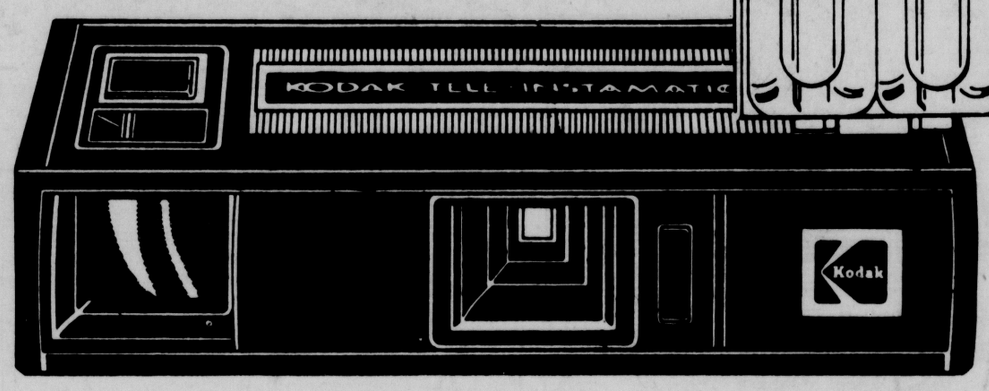

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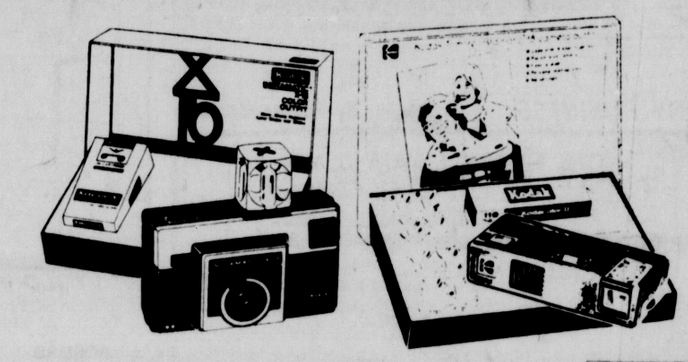

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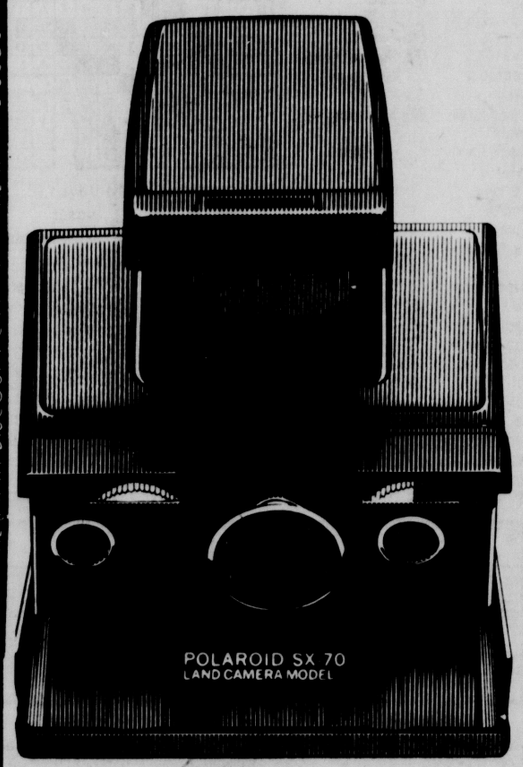

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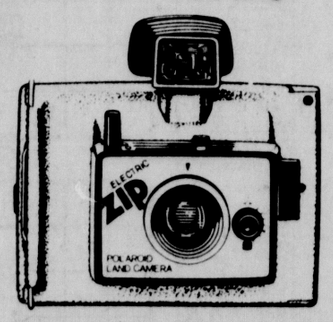

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Daytime Schedules

DAYTIME
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
7:00-Popeye
7:30-Little Rascals
8:00-Ultraman
8:30-Rin Tin Tin
9:00-I Dream of Jeannie
9:30-Financial Observer
10:00-Business Newscast
10:30-700 Club
12:00-Financial Observer
12:45-Community Views
2:00-15 Min. Business Newscast
2:50-10 Min. Business Newscast
3:00-Little Rascals
3:30-Popeye
4:00-Aquaman-Batman-Superman
4:30-Superman
5:00-Monkees
5:30-My Three Sons
6:00-Brady Bunch

DAYTIME
KETC-TV- ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
6:30-AM G.E.D.
7:00-To Be Announced
7:30-Lilias, Yoga and You
3:00-PM-Sesame Street
4:00-Mister Rogers
4:30-Electric Company

DAYTIME
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
8:30-Morning Report
8:50-Instructional Programming
10:00-Electric Co.
10:30-Instructional Planning
11:30-Sesame St.
12:30-Afternoon Report
12:50-Inst. Programming
3:30-Mr. Rogers
4:00-Sesame Street
5:00-Evening Report
5:30-Electric Company
6:00-Zoom

DAYTIME
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(Cable 7)
6:25-Arthur Smith Show
6:54-Pastor Speaks
7:00-Today Show
9:00-Sanford & Son
9:30-Romper Room
9:55-Calendar
10:00-Wheel of Fortune
10:30-Stumpers
11:00-50 Grand Slam
11:30-The Gong Show
11:55-NBC News
12:00-News Beat '76
12:30-Days of Our Lives
1:30-The Doctors
2:00-Another World
3:00-Somerset
3:30-Gilligan's Island
4:00-Brady Bunch
4:30-Ironside
Friday Only
4:00-Ironside
5:00-Montage
5:30-NBC Nightly News
6:00-News Beat '76

TV DAYTIME
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:00-Sunrise Semester
6:30-Breakfast Show
7:00-CBS Morning News
8:00-Captain Kangaroo
9:00-The Price is Right
10:00-Doubledare
10:30-Love of Life
10:55-CBS Midday News
11:00-Young and Restless
11:30-Search for Tomorrow
12:00-The Farm Picture
12:05-The Noonday News
12:30-As the World Turns
1:30-The Guiding Light
2:00-All in the Family
2:30-Match Game '76
3:00-Tattletales
3:30-Mickey Mouse Club
4:00-Bewitched
4:30-Andy Griffith Show
5:00-To Tell the Truth
5:30-The Regional News
6:00-CBS Evening News

DAILY LISTINGS
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
7:00-NPR News & Closer Look
7:15-Morning Air
8:00-NPR News
8:05-WKMS Local News
9:00-NPR News
9:05-SPECIAL: Live coverage from
Sweden Nobel Prizes
10:45-Masterworks Showcase
12:00-University Scene
12:05-University Comment
12:30-Afternoon News
1:00-Afternoon Classics
2:00-SPECIAL Nobel Prizes
4:00-All Things Considered
4:30-Local News
5:30-Classics A la Carte
6:30-WKMS Evening News

DAYTIME
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)
7:00-Good Morning America
9:00-700 Club
10:30-Happy Days
11:00-Don Ho Show
11:30-All My Children
12:00-Ryan's Hope
12:30-Family Feud
1:00-$20,000 Pyramid
1:30-One Life to Live
2:15-General Hospital
3:00-Edge of Night
4:00-M-Th.-MGM Theatre
F-U.S. Farm Report
4:30-F-Soul Train

Sunday's Schedule

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 12

CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:00-Christopher Closeup
6:30-Sunday Morning News
7:00-Human Dimension
7:30-Herald of Truth
8:00-Hudson Brothers
8:30-For Out Space Nuts
9:00-1st Baptist Church
10:00-Camera Three
10:30-Face the Nation
11:00-This is the Life
11:30-NFL Football
St. Louis at N.Y. Giants
Wash. at Dallas
6:00-60 Minutes
7:00-Sonny & Cher
8:00-Kojak
9:00-Delvecchio
10:00-CBS Weekend News
10:15-Channel 12 Sun. Nite News
10:45-Gunsmoke
11:45-Late News Highlights

DECEMBER 12
SUNDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)
7:00-Blue Ridge Quartet
7:30-Day of Discovery
8:00-James Robison
8:30-Oral Roberts
9:00-Old Time Gospel Hr.
10:00-Odd Ball Couple
10:30-Animals, Animals
11:00-Issues & Answers
11:30-Don Young Presents
12:00-Gilligan
12:30-What Will We Say to a Hungry World
5:30-Wild Kingdom
6:00-Santa Claus in Christmas Town
7:00-Six Million $ Man
8:00-Sun. Night Movies
Seven Ups
10:00-ABC Weekend News
10:15-700 Club
12:00-Sign Off

SPS-CATV-6

LOCAL CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS TO BE PRESENTED FRIDAY.....

Sikeston Public Schools will present four Christmas Programs Friday, December 17, beginning at 6:30 p.m. on CATV-6 ... first will be "SPS News, Sports and Activities," followed at 6:45 by the Sikeston High School's Moderne Chorale's performance at the First Methodist Church, then at approximately 7:15 the students of Lee Hunter School presents their Christmas play, "Snow." Following this, at approximately 7:45 will be the Concert Choirs Annual Christmas Concert.

Join us on CATV-6 for an evening of enjoyable entertainment.

DECEMBER 12
SUNDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
7:00-Montage
7:30-Gospel Singing Jubilee
8:30-Paducah Devotion
9:15-Hamilton Bros.
9:30-Children's Gospel Hr.
10:00-Changed Lives
10:30-A Conversation with Isaac Baskeves Singer
11:00-Meet the Press
11:30-Grandstand
12:00-NFL Football
3:00-Ky. Afield
3:30-Formby Antique Workshop
4:00-NBC Religious
5:00-News Beat '76
5:30-Sunday Night News
6:00-Tiny Tree
6:30-Hallmark-"Peter Pan"
8:30-Big Event Money Changers Pt. 3
10:00-News Beat '76
10:30-Golden Age of Hollywood
The Conspirators

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 12
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
4:30-Idea Thing
5:00-Crockett's Victory Garden
5:30-Consumer Survival Kit
6:00-The Adams Chronicles
7:00-Evening at Symphony
8:00-Masterpiece Theatre
How Green Was My Valley
9:00-Nova
10:00-Movie
Elvira Madigan

SUNDAY
KETC-TV- ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
8:00-Sesame St.
9:00-Mister Rogers
9:30-Sesame St.
10:30-Electric Co.
11:00-Sesame St.
12:00-Villa Alegre
12:30-Rebop
1:00-Commercial Union Masters Tennis Tourn.
5:00-Consumer Surivival Kit
5:30-The Boston Pops in Hollywood
7:00-Marek
8:00-Masterpiece Theatre
How Green Was My Valley
9:00-The Good Old Days of Radio
10:30-Monty Python's Flying Circus
11:00-The Picnic
11:30-St. Louis Sings

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 12
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
7:30-Ministry of Rev.
8:00-Voice of Victory
8:30-Jimmy Swaggart
9:00-Monkees
9:30-Superman
10:00-Great Western Theatre
"Iron Mistress"
12:00-Robert Schuller
1:00-Christ is the Answer
1:30-Revival Fires
2:00-Day of Discovery
2:30-Overseas Mission
3:00-FGBMI Good News
3:30-Ernest Angley Hour
4:30-Formby's Antiques
5:00-Million $ Movie
"A Family Affair"
6:30-St. Louis Blues Hockey
9:00-The 700 Club
10:00-Old-Time Gospel Hour
11:30-Wrestling

SUNDAY DECEMBER 5
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
7:00-Sabbath Musicale
8:00-Sonata de Camera
10:00-Early Composers
12:00-International Concent Hall
2:00-Bicentennial Concert
Vermont
3:00-Speaking of American Music
4:00-NPR Recital Hall
5:45-Classics a la Carte
7:00-Voices in the Wind
8:00-Folk Festival
10:00-Jazz Revisited
10:30-Nightflight-Jazz

Monday's Schedule

MONDAY
SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CATV-6 (6 Cable)
8:25-Without Warning
10:35-How Many Lifetimes
1:25-Pattern of Profession
2:30-A Questionof Balance

Each daytime news cast will be followed by the Moderne Chorale Performance at the Methodist Church. The 6:30 news cast will be followed y the Moderne Chorale at 6:45, by the Lee Hunter Christmas Show at 7:15 and by the Concert Choir's Annual Christmas Concert at 7:45.

MONDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
6:30-Adam-12
7:00-Masada: Monument to Freedom
8:00-Movie
Anastasia
10:00-Mary Hartman
10:30-Honeymooners
11:00-Have Gun, Will Travel
11:30-700 Club

MONDAY
KETC-TV- ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
5:00-Sesame St.
6:00-Electric Co.
6:30-Zoom
7:00-The Adams Chronicles
8:00-Edith Piaf
9:30-Birth Without Violence
10:00-Kaleidoscope Tonight
10:30-The Six Wives of Henry VIII
12:00-St. Louis Sings

MONDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:30-SIU Report

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9:00-Soundstage
10:00-Movie
"The Lady Killers"

MONDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
6:30-Pop Goes the Country
7:00-Little Drummer Boy
7:30-Bob Hope Christmas Show
9:00-Perry Como Christmas Show
10:00-News Beat '76
10:30-Tonight Show
12:00-Tomorrow Show

MONDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
10:00-Masterworks Showcase
12:05-University Comment
7:15-Racer Basketball
Roosevelt
9:30-Alec Wilder & American Pop Song
10:30-Nightflight-Rock

MONDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:30-The Muppet Show
7:00-Rhoda
7:30-Phyllis
8:00-Maude
8:30-All's Fair
9:00-Executive Suite
10:00-Channel 12 Reports
10:30-CBS Late Movie
The Family Nobody Wanted
12:30-Late News Highlights

MONDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)
5:30-Cactus Pete
6:15-News & Weather
6:30-Evening News
7:00-Natl. Finals Rodeo
10:00-Weather & News
10:30-ABC Mon Night Special
12:00-News & Sign Off

Tuesday's Schedule

TUESDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)
5:30-Cactus Pete
6:15-News & Weather
6:30-ABC Evening News
7:00-Year Without Santa Claus
7:30-Laverne & Shirley
8:00-John Denver Special
9:00-Barbara Walters & Friends
10:00-Weather & News
10:30-Tues. Mystery Movie
12:00-News & Sign Off

TUESDAY
SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CATV-6 (6 Cable)
8:25-Curse Not the Deaf
10:35-Farmers Who Bank on Themselves
1:25-No Man is an Island
2:30-The Crucified and Risen Christ

TUESDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
6:30-Adam-12
7:00-Maverick
8:00-Movie
Operation Amsterdam
10:00-Mary Hartman
10:30-The Honeymooners
11:00-Have Gun Will Travel
11:30-700 Club

TUESDAY
KETC-TV-ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
5:00-Sesame St.
6:00-Electric Co.
6:30-Zoom
7:00-Preservation Hall Jazz Band
8:00-Ragtime Years
9:00-The World Series of Jazz
10:--Kaleidoscope Tonight!
10:30-Elizabeth
12:00-St. Louis Sings

TUESDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:30-Black Dimensions
7:00-The Boston Pops in Hollywood
8:30-Our Story
9:00-Chinatown
10:00-Movie
"The Importance of Being Ernest"

TUESDAY
PADUCAH (5) NBC
6:30-$128,000 Question
7:00-Baa,Baa Black Sheep
8:00-Police Woman
9:00-Police Story
10:00-News Beat
10:30-Tonight Show
12:00-Tomorrow Show

TUESDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:30-Name That Tune
7:00-Adventures of Tom Sawyer
8:00-MASH
8:30-One Day at a Time
9:00-Switch
10:00-Channel 12 Reports
10:30-Movie
Kojak
The Hound of the Baker-svilles
1:20-Late News Highlights

TUESDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
12:05-Community Comment
7:00-Across the Atlantic
7:30-Science Journal
8:00-Chicago Symphony Orchestra
10:00-Nightflight

Wednesday's Schedule

WEDNESDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
6:30-Adam-12
7:00-Maverick
8:00-Movie
High Time
10:00-Mary Hartman Mary Hartman
10:30-Honeymooners
11:00-Have Gun Will Travel
11:30-700 Club

WEDNESDAY
KETC-TV (ST. LOUIS) (9)
(Cable 9)
5:00-Sesame St.
6:00-Electric Co.
6:30-Zoom
7:00-American Ballet Theatre
8:00-Philemon
10:00-Kaleidoscope Tonight
10:30-Elizabeth
12:00-St. Louis Sings

WEDNESDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:30-Outdoors with Art Reid
7:00-Nova
8:00-Great Performances
9:00-Three American Goldsmiths
9:30-Stonewall Joe
10:00-Movie
Saps at Sea

WEDNESDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
6:30-Good Ole Nashville
7:00-John Davidson Christmas Show
8:00-Dean Martin Roast
9:00-Mac Davis Christmas Special
10:00-News Beat '76
10:30-Tonight Show
12:00-Tomorrow Show

WEDNESDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:30-Price Is Right
7:00-Good Times
7:30-Jeffersons
8:00-Wed Nigt Movies
The Getaway
10:00-Channel 12 Reports
11:00-CBS Late Movie
Gunfight at the O K Corral
1:00-Late News Highlights

WEDNESDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
12:05-University Comment
7:15-Racer Basketball
10:00-Nightflight

WEDNESDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
5:30-Cactus Pete
6:15-Weather & News
6:30-Evening News
7:00-Bionic Woman
8:00-Baretta
9:00-Charlies Angels
10:00-Weather & News
10:30-ABC Mystery-Rookies
12:00-News & Sign Off

WEDNESDAY
SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CATV-6 (6 Cable)
9:30-A Question of Balance
10:35-Pattern of a Profession
1:25-How Many Lifetimes
2:30-Without Warning

Thursday's Schedule

THURSDAY
SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CATV-6 (6 Cable)
9:30-The Crucified and Risen Christ
10:35-No Man is an Island
1:25-Curse Not the Deaf
2:30-Farmers Who Bank on Themselves

THURSDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
6:30-St. Louis Blues Hockey
9:00-Garry Unger's N.H.L.
9:15-TBA
10:00-Mary Hartman
10:30-The Honeymooners
11:00-Have Gun, Will Travel
11:30-700 Club

THURSDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)
6:00-Cactus Pete
6:15-News — Weather
6:30-ABC Evening News
7:00-Welcome Back Kotter
7:30-Barney Miller
8:00-Tony Randall
8:30-Nancy Walker
9:00-ABC Closeup-Divorce
10:00-Weather & News
10:30-Sts of San Fran.-Dan August
12:45-Late News & Sign Off

THURSDAY
KETC-TV-ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
5:00-Sesame St.
6:00-Electric Co.
6:30-Zoom
7:00-Masterpiece Theatre
How Green Was My Valley
8:00-I.F. Stone's Weekly
9:00-P.L.O. OTO
10:00-Kaleidoscope Tonight
10:30-Elizabeth
12:00-St. Louis Sings

THURSDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:30-Sportempo
7:00-Movie
How Green was my Valley
8:00-Visions
10:00-Movie
Elvira Madigan

THURSDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
6:30-Porter Wagoner
7:00-Van Dyke — Co.
8:00-Best Sellers
9:00-Gibbsville
10:00-News Beat '76
10:30-Tonight Show
12:00-Tommorrow Show

THURSDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:30-Wild World of Animals
7:00-Waltons
8:00-Hawaii Five-O
9:00-Barnaby Jones
10:00-Channel 12 Reports
10:30-CBS Late Movies
Kojak
Sapphire
1:20-Late News Highlights

THURSDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
12:05-Nat. Press Club
7:00-That's Our Business
7:30-Murray Common Council
10:00-Nightflight-soul

CHRISTMAS ON CHANNEL 9

Channel 9's Christmas week is full of specials, ranging from a ballet performance of Tchiakovsky's "The Nutcracker" to a humorous locally produced exploration of the ways in which the season has been celebrated throughout history.

The special christmas programming begins at 7 p.m. Monday, December 20 when Richard Kiley looks at Christmas customs and introduces choral performances. "Richard Kiley's Christmas Celebration" will also air at 9:30 p.m. Thursday, December 23.

The Mormon Youth Symphony performs a variety of seasonal music on "The Music of Christmas," airing at 7:30 p.m. Monday and 9:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 20 and 22 on Channel 9.

At 8 p.m. Monday, December 20, Andre Kostalenetz conducts the National Symphony Orchestra in a performance of "The Nutcracker." The Christmas classic will also be danced by Ballet West of Salt Lake City at 7 p.m. Tuesday, December 21. The Utah Symphony Orchestra will accompany the production.

At 7 p.m. Wednesday, December 22, the St. Olaf Choir presents a "Choral christmas Special." Following this hour-long program at 8 p.m., Channel 9 presents a rendition of the "Chester Mystery Play." The mystery play dramatizes the Biblical story of Christmas from the fall of Lucifer to the birth of Christ. In the Middle Ages,mystery plays were written by priests and monks and were performed by craft guild members.

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8:25 School News, Sports And Activities
9:30 School News, Sports And Activities
10:35 School News, Sports And Activities
12:30 School News, Sports And Activities
1:25 School News, Sports And Activities
2:30 School News, Sports and Activities
6:30 School News Sports And Activities

FRIDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)
5:30 ABC Evening News
6:00 Oral Roberts Christmas Sp
7:00 Donny & Marie
8:00 Fri. Nite Movie
Young Pioneer Christmas
10:00 Weather & News
10:30 S.W.A.T.
11:37 Friday Late Movie
Lost Rebel
1:30 News & Sign Off

FRIDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
12:05 University Comment
7:00 Options
8:00 New York Philharmonic
10:00 Earplay
11:00 The Oldies Show

FRIDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:30 People, Problems & Progress
7:00 Washington Review
7:30 Wall Street Week
8:00 Giving Birth
9:00 Firing Line
10:00 The Goodies
10:30 Movie

FRIDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
6:30 Candid Camera
7:00 Sanford & Son
7:30 Chico & the Man
8:00 Rockford Files
9:00 Serpico
10:00 News Beat 76
10:30 Tonight show
12:00 Midnight Special

FRIDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (13) CBS
6:30 Dolly
7:00 Frosty the Snowman
7:30 T'was the Night Before Christmas
8:00 Fri. Night Movie
Pocket Money
10:00 Channel 12 Reports
10:30 Late Movie
Who's Minding the Store
12:30 Late News Highlights

FRIDAY
KETC-TV- ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
5:00 Sesame St.
6:00 Zoom
7:00 Washington Week
7:30 Wall Street Week
8:00 The Hemingway Play
10:00 Kaleidoscope Tonight
10:30 Elizabeth
12:00 St. Louis Sings

FRIDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
6:30 Adam -12
7:00 Maverick
8:00 Movie
"Doctor In Distress"
10:00 Mary Hartman
10:30 Honeymooners
11:00 Movie 30
"Drums of Africa"
1:00 700 Club

Saturday's Schedule

SATURDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
7:00 Country Morning
10:00 Classique Compendium
11:00 Composer's Forum
12:00 Metropolitan Opera
5:00 Classics a la Carte
7:15 The Big Band Sounds
10:00 Nightflight

SATURDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:00 Sunrise Semester
6:30 Sat. Morning News
7:00 Sylvester and Tweety
7:30 Clue Club
8:00 Bugs Buny-Road Runner Hour
9:00 Tarzan, Lord of the Jungle
9:30 Shazam-Isis Hour
10:30 Ark II
11:00 Fat Albert
11:30 NFL Game
3:00 Famous Classic Tales
A Christmas Carol
4:00 NFL Game of the Week
4:30 Film
5:00 Sat. Regional News
5:30 CBS Weekend news
6:00 Hee Haw
7:00 Charlie Brown Christmas
7:30 How the Grinch Stole Christmas
8:00 All in the Family
8:30 Alice
9:00 Carol Burnett
10:00 Channel 12 Sat. Night News
10:30 Gunsmoke
11:30 Nashville on the Road
12:00 Buck Owens Ranch Show
12:30 Good News
1:00 With This Ring
1:15 Late News Highlights

SATURDAY
PADUCAH (5) NBC
6:45 Weather Information
7:00 Woody Woodpecker
7:30 Pink Panther
9:00 Speed Buggy
9:30 Monster Squad
10:00 Space Ghost-Frankenstein, Jr.
10:30 Big John, Little John
11:00 Land of the Lost
11:30 Muggsy
12:00 RFD-TV
12:30 Fencepost
1:00 Bonnie Lou & Buster Show
1:30 Spirit of Independence
2:00 Super Bowl Special
3:00 AFC Playoff
4:30 Super Bowl Special
5:00 Spirit of Independence
5:30 NBC Sat. Night News
6:00 News Beat '76
6:30 Accent
7:00 The First Christmas
7:30 Sat. Night Movie
Mame
10:00 New Beat '76
10:30 Sat. Nite Live
12:00 Dragnet

SATURDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:00 Electric Co.
6:30 Once upon a Classic
Heidi
7:00 From These Roots
7:30 Our Story
8:00 Visions

SATURDAY
KETC-TV - ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
8:00 Lilias, Yoga and You
8:30 Crockett's Victory Garden
9:00 Maggie & The Beautiful Machine
9:30 Woman
10:00 Child Psychology
10:30 American Ballet Theater
11:30 Accounting
12:00 Open University
12:30 The Latino Consortium
1:00 G.E.D.
1:30 A Bit With Knit I & II
2:00 Farm Digest
2:30 Piano Play
3:00 Preservation Hall Jazz Band
4:00 The Good Old Days of Radio
5:00 Keep America Singing
6:00 TVTV The Superbowl
7:00 Austin City Limits
8:00 Hill Country Sounds
9:00 Hometown Sat. Night
10:30 Waylon Jennings and Jessi Colter
11:30 St. Louis Sings

SATURDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
11:30 Ultraman
12:00 Batman
12:30 Aquaman- Batman-Superman
1:00 Champions
2:00 Chiller Thriller
"Captive Wild Woman"
3:30 Blondie Theatre
Blondie Knows Best
5:00 Star Trek
6:00 Space 1999
7:00 Country Music Memories
7:30 Porter Wagoner
8:00 Best of Hollywood
"300 Spartans"
10:00 Horror Classic
"Beast from 20,000 Fathoms"
11:30 Pro Football Playback

Sunday's Schedule

SUNDAY DECEMBER 12
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
7:00 Sabbath Musicale
8:00 Sonata de Camera
10:00 Early Composers
12:00 International Concent Hall
2:00 Bicentennial Concert
Kentucky
3:00 Speaking of American Music
4:00 NPR Recital Hall
5:45 Classics a la Carte
7:00 Voices in the Wind
8:00 Folk Festival
10:00 Jazz Revisited
10:30 Nightflight- Jazz

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 19

CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:00 Christopher Closeup
6:30 Sunday Morning News
7:00 Human Dimension
7:30 Herald of Truth
8:00 Hudson Brothers
8:30 For Out Space Nuts
9:00 1st Baptist Church
10:00 Camera Three
10:30 Face the Nation
11:00 This is the Life
11:30 Lamp Unto My Feet
12:00 Look Up — Live
TBA NFL Divisional PlayOffs
5:30 CBS Evening News
6:00 60 Minutes
7:00 Sonny & Cher
8:00 Kojak
9:00 Delvecchio
10:00 CBS Weekend News
10:15 Channel 12 Sun. Nite News
10:45 Salvation Army Tree of Lights
Late News Highlights

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 19
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
4:30 Idea Thing
5:00 Crockett's Victory Garden
5:30 The Adams Chronicles
7:00 Evening at Symphony
8:00 Masterpiece Theatre
Five Red Herrings
9:00 Nova
10:00 Movie
Family Life

DECEMBER 19
SUNDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
7:00 Montage
7:30 Gospel Singing Jubilee
8:30 Paducah Devotion
9:15 Hamilton Bros.
9:30 Children's Gospel Hr.
10:00 Changed Lives
10:30 Accent
11:00 Meet the Press
11:30 Grandstand
12:00 AFC Playoff
3:00 Grandstand
3:15 Super Bowl Special
3:45 File 6
4:00 Dragnet
4:30 Kentucky Afield
5:00 News Beat '76
5:30 Sunday Night News
6:00 Walt Disney
7:00 Christmas Around The World
8:30 Big Event Money Changers Pt. 4
10:00 News Beat '76
10:30 Golden Age of Hollywood
The Adventures of Don Juan

DECEMBER 19
SUNDAY
KETC-TV - ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
8:00 Sesame St.
9:00 Mister Roger's
9:30 Sesame St.
10:30 Electric Co.
11:00 Sesame St.
12:00 Villa Alegre
12:30 Rebop
1:00 Pepsi Mixed Team Champ Golf Tourn.
3:00 To be Announced
4:00 I.F. Stone's Weekly
5:00 Consumer Survival Kit
5:30 Agronsky at Large
6:00 The Way It Was
6:30 Evening at Symphony
8:00 Movie
Five Red Herrings
9:00 Firing Line
10:00 Monty Phython's Flying Circus
10:30 Internatinal Animation Fest.
11:00 St. Louis Sings

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 12
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
7:30 Ministry of Rev.
8:00 Voice of Victory
8:30 Jimmy Swaggart
9:00 Monkees
9:30 Superman
10:00 Great Western Theatre
"Strange Lady in Town"
12:00 Robert Schuller
1:00 Christ is the Answer
1:30 Revival Fires
2:00 Day of Discovery
2:30 Overseas Mission
3:00 FGBMI Good News
3:30 Ernest Angley Hour
4:30 Formby's Antiques
5:00 TBA
6:00 700 Club
7:30 St. Louis Blues Hockey
9:45 Garry Hunger's N.H.L.
10:00 TV Bowling
11:00 Wrestling

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Healthful and hearty granola

Looking for a different recipe for the holidays? Try baking the granola way — it's great!

What is granola? Granola is a generic name referring to an oat-based cereal made from a variety of grains and other ingredients.

Although many people think of granola as a product recently invented by natural food enthusiasts, it was actually developed in the 1880's.

Not so new

In the late 1960's it again caught the attention of the American public, and manufactured varieties as well of dozens of recipes for home-made concoctions appeared everywhere.

But what is it that makes granola so special? Besides good nutrition, there's a lot of good taste.

Let's take a look at each ingredient: rolled oats — high in protein and B vitamins (thiamine, riboflavin, niacin); wheat germ — the "heart of the wheat," rich in protein, B vitamins, iron and phosphorus; brown sugar/honey — adds an old-fashioned natural sweetness; vegetable oil — improves color, binds ingredients together; dry milk solids — good source of riboflavin, calcium, phosphorus and potassium; brewer's yeast — provides protein, B vitamins, iron and phosphorus; coconut, almonds, sunflower seeds and vanilla — add flavor and texture to regular flavored granola.

Christmas treat

Now that we've established that granola is indeed tasty and good for you, here's a terrific idea for a Christmas treat the whole family can enjoy and you can feel good about serving!

MIX-EASY GRANOLA BARS

- 1½ cups Sun Country Granola
- ¾ cup all-purpose flour
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- ¼ tsp. salt
- ½ cup butter or margarine
- 1 cup firmly packed brown sugar
- 1 egg
- ½ tsp. maple extract
- ½ cup chopped walnuts

Measure granola, flour, baking powder and salt onto wax paper. Stir well to blend. Melt butter in large saucepan over low heat. Stir in sugar, egg and maple extract. Add blended dry ingredients and nuts. Mix well. Spread in ungreased 8-inch square pan. Bake at 350° for 25-30 minutes. Cool and cut into squares. Yield: 16-20 bars.

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Heading home for the holidays, packers "in-the-know" will avoid a big headache by thinking small when they fill their suitcases.

"Bulging bag" blues — the kind that occur when you try to squeeze half of your closet and beauty "can't-do-without's" into one suitcase — can be outsmarted with a little pre-planning.

A dash of suitcase savvy mixed with a lot of discipline will help you win the battle of the bulge. For example, clothes that are neatly "rolled" instead of folded come out surprisingly unwrinkled.

Remember to pack your lingerie at the very end, rolling each piece tightly to stuff any "cracks" left around suitcase edges.

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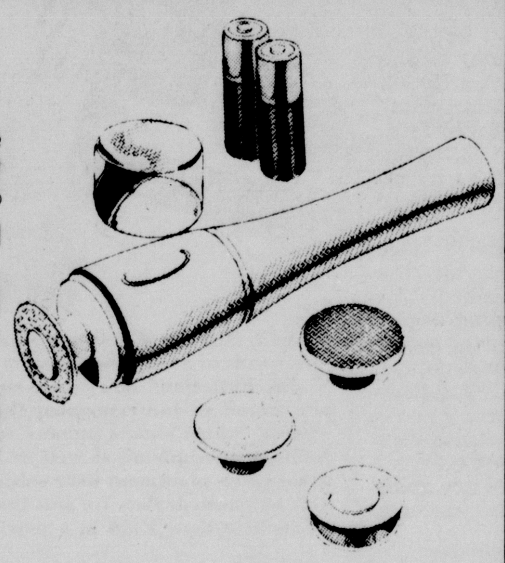

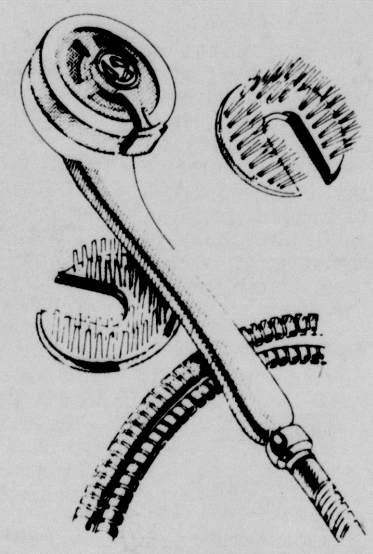

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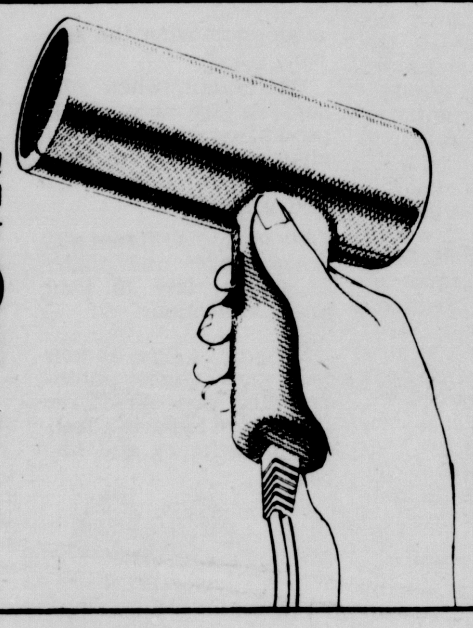

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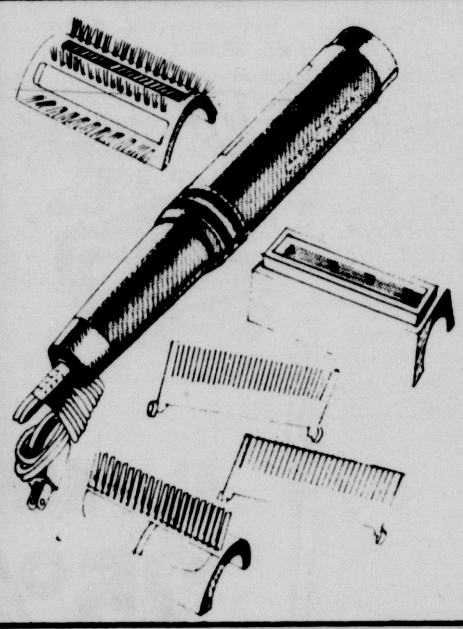

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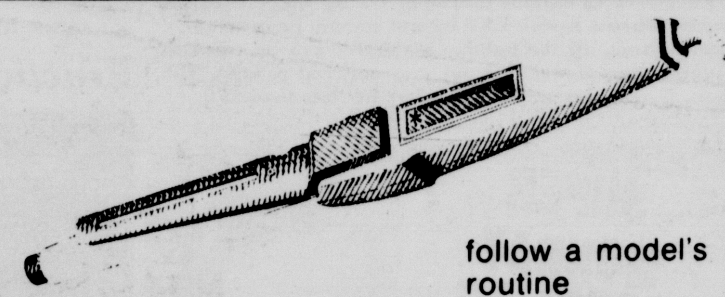

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Christmas is no time to fuss with cleaning

Having friends and family over to share a special meal is one of the highlights of the holiday season, so don't let thoughts of after-dinner cleanups spoil the fun and festivity of the occasion.

Whether your menu revolves around a turkey or a beef dish, you can speed through messy kitchen cleanups with a bit of help from Grease relief® degreaser.

Some degreaser applied to greasy pots and pans will lift grease so that it can practically be rinsed away. Add it to dishwater to boost your dishwashing detergent's grease-cutting strength and dishes and flatware will be a breeze to wash, too.

It can also be a savior when guests accidentally drip greasy foods on your beautiful, washable tablecloths and when youngsters drop their drumsticks on their "Sunday best" — to remove greasy food marks, just squirt some degreaser on those spots before laundering the items (it boosts the strength and is compatible with detergents).

BEFORE LIGHTING UP

Check the tree lights before you decorate. Inspect the wires for fraying.

Let Christmas memories develop before your eyes!

Christmas is a composite of instants that become fond memories. The instant the children first behold the pile of presents under the tree; the instant dad discovers the fun of junior's train; the instant mother pulls the golden turkey from the oven — they're all special moments to remember.

The memories can take shape as instantly as the moments when you save them in color pictures that develop before your eyes. From tots to grandparents, your family and friends will have the times of their lives watching moments that just happened develop into colorful pictures. And you'll have photos of the festivities to share with them before the occasion is over.

"Open me first!"

If you don't already have one, this may be the Christmas to give a Kodak EK4 or EK6 instant camera to someone in the family. Mark the package "open me first," so it can be part of the whole day's fun.

That way, you'll have pictures before all the presents are opened. Litter-free developing begins as soon as the print leaves the camera after exposure, and is essentially complete in eight minutes.

To help you create your instant memories of Christmas, here are some tips from Kodak experts.

WHAT TO THEIR WONDERING EYES should appear but images of Christmas morning, taking shape in color pictures. When a Kodak EK6 instant camera happens to be under the tree, all the holiday highlights can be saved in self-developing photos that are easy and fun to take. The camera is available at photo dealers for less than $70.

Catch first glimpse

Make your pictures tell a story, by catching the opening chapter — the excited expressions on faces as your youngsters first glimpse the gifts — and following through to the end of the day.

Since you'll be shooting indoors for most of the day, be sure to have an ample supply of flipflash.

Whether you focus by estimating the distance, by zone focus or by using the zooming circle, be sure you include everything you want in the picture. See that a finger does not block the electric eye that sets the exposure or the print-exit slot at the bottom of the camera.

Aim for the natural

Eliminate distracting background clutter by shooting from a different angle or moving the subject.

Photograph when your subjects are absorbed in present-opening or excited chatter so the pictures look natural rather than stiff and posed.

Shoot from different distance ranges and angles to add variety to your photo collection.

Move in as close as four feet when you're photographing one person, so the picture imparts a feeling of intimacy and impact.

Arizona's Lee Pistor kicked 15 field goals in 19 attempts last season, including four out of five from at least 40 yards.

JINGLE BELLS: Whether it's a family rendition of Christmas carols or a solemn recitation in a school pageant, a new Kodak Ektasound 230 movie camera will record the sight and sound so you remember the occasion both ways. The camera, which shoots indoors without movie lights, has a built-on microphone as well as an extension mike for the times when placement near subjects is desirable. It is available at photo dealers for less than $275 as a separate item or for less than $288 in a movie-making outfit.

CHRISTMAS CROSS is sixth in an annual series, in richly detailed sterling silver by Reed & Barton. This limited edition is a stylized reproduction of a hand-carved architectural rosette that adorns England's Chester Cathedral. It can be jewelry or tree ornament. $13.95; chain, $2.00.

Help for helpless, harried shopper!

Are you still wondering what to give to some favorite friend or relative for Christmas? Perhaps you're drawing a blank because you're only thinking in terms of objects. Think about experiences, as well, and it opens up a whole new world. In other words — make a date to take them somewhere!

For the sports fan, how about tickets to a baseball game next spring — or a football, basketball, hockey game in the more immediate future.

Theater buffs and cinema fans would love tickets to a play or movie (for two, naturally). You might want to make these up yourself, to look like a gift certificate ("to the show of your choice") — so that the lucky recipient can make a date with you at his convenience.

For the gourmet, instead of the usual cookbook or gadget, try a written invitation to dinner (on you) at a favorite restaurant.

For the music fan, get tickets to a rock concert, opera, or symphony.

When all else fails, consider giving a subscription to a magazine on some subject of interest—sports, theater, fashion, hobbies, crafts, travel.

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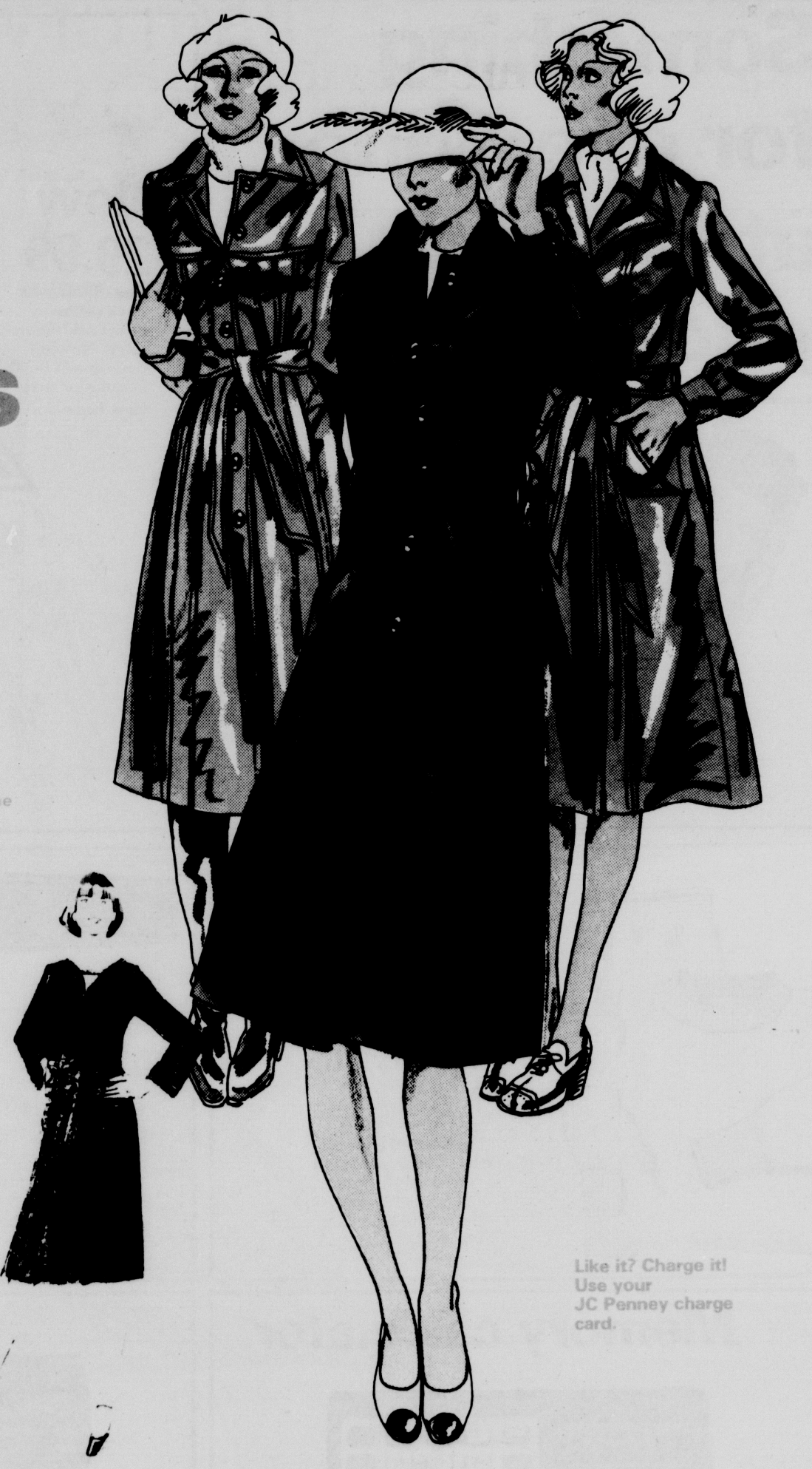

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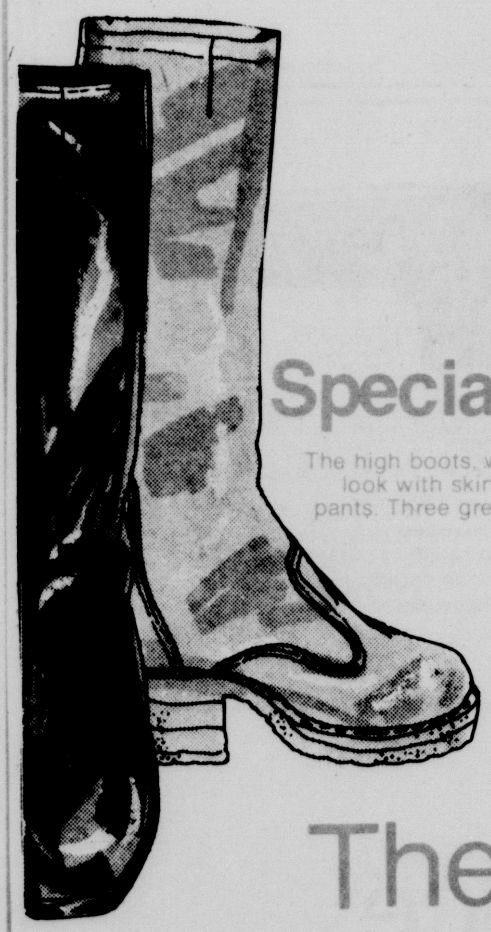

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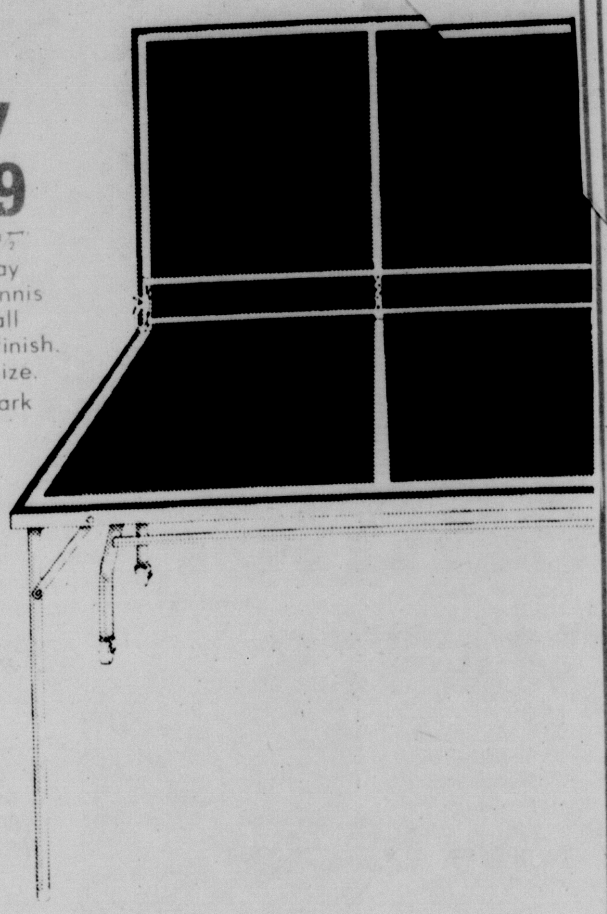

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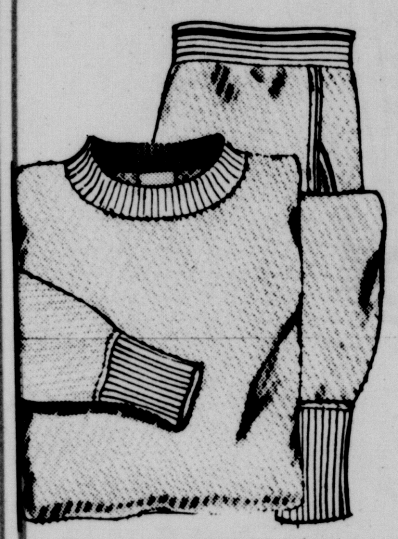

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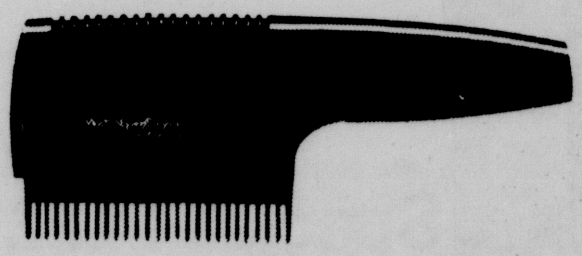

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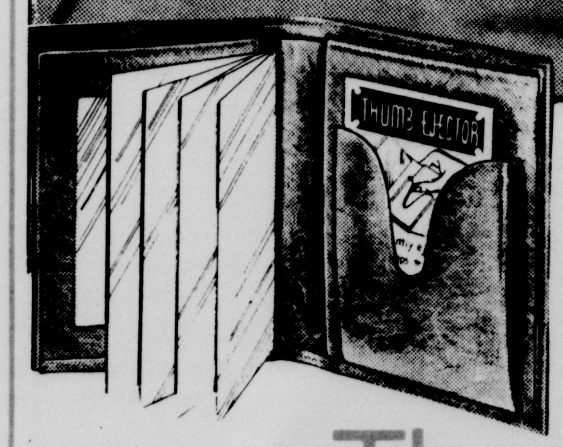

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Have festive fun 'hanging' a wall

Felt is a natural at Christmastime.

Easy to stitch, adaptable to all sorts of Christmas gifts, decorations, ornaments and table settings, available in bright Christmas tones — what would Christmas be without felt?

Now, felt has an extra dimension. The Pellon Corporation has just introduced Phun Phelt,™ an all-polyester, completely washable, crushproof and colorfast nonwoven material.

It has greater tensile strength than most craft felts, accepts spray paint without blurring, may be stitched, glued or fused in place, and comes in a range of joyous Christmas colors.

Any youngster on your Christmas list would love a giant wall hanging made of a single yard of Phun Phelt.™ It's 72" wide, so the hanging will measure 36" by 72." Educational as well as decorative, this hanging can feature learn-to-count squares.

To make a wall hanging like this one, you will need one yard of the basic background color, a half-yard of black for border and divider lines, and an assortment of 9" by 12" pieces in different colors.

These elements may be stitched together, or the hanging may be assembled without stitching by using Pellon's fusible web. Copy these designs, or make up your own from simple outline designs in coloring books.

Note that some of the designs have extra lines such as the legs of the spiders, the strings of the balloons, and the spouts of the whales. These may be done in hand embroidery, with machine stitching, or with a felt pen.

Cut the designs from the Phun Phelt™ squares, and, if you are fusing the designs, cut a matching piece of fusible web for each design.

Cut the black felt divider lines 1" thick, and the border lines 2" thick. Cut matching strips of fusible web. Position web between fabrics, and fuse carefully into position using a damp press cloth and 10 second firm pressure.

Position designs carefully. You may steam-baste by simply touching the tip of the steam iron to a small section of each design, thereby melting just a bit of the fusible web.

When each section is correctly placed, fuse designs to background piece. Fuse the numbers, and complete the extra markings.

Cut hanging strips, and fuse in place. This may be hung on a curtain rod, or tack to the wall.

A Christmas design, an Easter design, or any original motif may be done in the same way. With Phun Phelt,™ every day is a holiday.

WORLD ALMANAC'S Q&A

Match up the state of the union with its correct nickname.

1. Minnesota a) Equality State
2. Tennessee b) Badger State
3. Wisconsin c) Gopher State
4. Louisiana d) Volunteer State
5. Wyoming e) Pelican State

ANSWERS:

1-c 2-d 3-b 4-e 5-a

Urbane answer to a stuffy refrigerator

Do you have a stuffy refrigerator?

A stuffy refrigerator is one that can't adjust to those out-of-the-ordinary occasions like a holiday dinner or weekend party.

It has no room for extra food nor the pep to fix all those extra ice cubes. If it could talk, it would say "Bah! Humbug!"

General Electric has a great alternative to the stuffy refrigerator — its family of Custom Ice Dispenser refrigerators.

Their shelves are adjustable — so you can make room for the big holiday bird — and made of tempered glass so if a spill does occur, clean-up is a snap.

And not only are they able to make all those extra ice cubes, they will also dispense them right into your glass, either as cubes or crushed ice.

GE Custom Ice Dispenser refrigerators come in three sizes: 20.6-cubic-foot top-freezer model that's just 30½-inches wide, a 33-inch wide 21.6-cubic-foot side-by-side and 35¾-inch wide 23.5-cubic-foot side-by-side.

They all feature adjustable, door-mounted Porta-Bins which can be taken to counter or table to reduce trips to and from the refrigerator; large, see-through fruit and vegetable bins; and a Power-Saver switch that can help reduce power consumption and cost of operation.

And of course, they all come in white as well as GE colors and have wheels to ease moving them in and out from the wall at spring cleaning time.

So this holiday season if you want to be able to stuff more in your refrigerator than you do in the holiday bird, remember GE's urbane answer to the over-stuffed refrigerator.

Winter eyes need protection

SELECTION FOR THE SPORTS ENTHUSIAST — sunglasses for all seasons. They're a thoughtful gift that can go right from under the Christmas tree onto the ski slopes, toboggan run or skating rink. The glare of snow and ice in the winter is just as harsh as the reflection from water and sand in the summer. Real sunglasses allow no more than 30% of the light to pass through and winter sports call for even darker lenses — such as Bausch & Lomb's Olympic Games Collection. His Stateside SunGlasses have a mirrored coating which blocks 90% of the light and reflects the sun's rays on extra brilliant days. Her Vagabond glasses, which block 85% of the light, also offer full winter eye protection. Both models have neutral gray lenses for true color perception.

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God's Secret Agents, an extraordinary and reassuring book that underscores for readers today the clear Biblical message that angels do exist and what is more, that they are here to help us in our earthly struggles!

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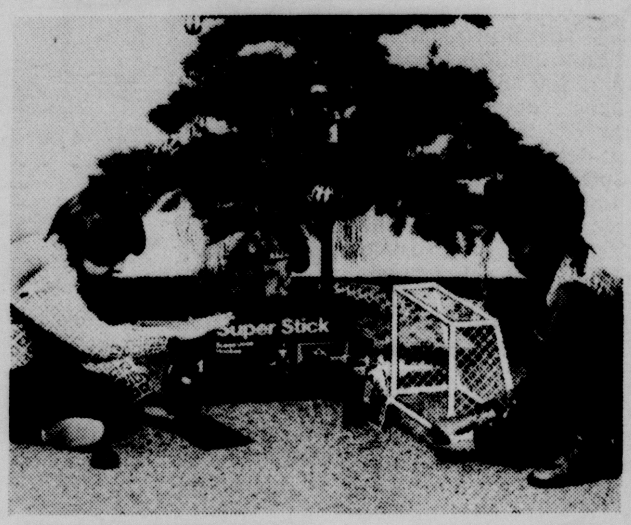
New jocks join superstar for lively family sports action!

For the diehard football fan, the only bad thing about the football season is that sometime in January, the last touchdown is scored and the last field goal kicked. From then on, the action seems to be over until September.

Football fans who carried on living room field goal competitions with "Super Toe" Football last year sought other games to carry on the thrills of the basketball, hockey and soccer seasons.

This year, three new "Super Jocks" have stepped in to fill the home sports action gap between January and September.



BLOCK THAT SHOT! The new sports action game, "Super Stick" Hockey, features fast shooting triggered by a rap on the head to the rugged plastic figure. "Super Stick" is part of the "Super Jock" series from Schaper, which includes basketball, soccer, and football sports action games.

Rap it!

"Super Touch" basketball, "Super Stick" hockey and "Super Kick" soccer all work on the same basic principle: a well placed rap on the head activates the scoring mechanism and sends the basketball, soccer ball or hockey puck towards the goal.

Goaltending is illegal, of course, in basketball; but both "Super Stick" and "Super Kick" feature goalie figures wielded by a second player to try and prevent the would-be scorer from reaching his mark.

All the "Super Jock" figures are rugged and able to stand up to repeated raps on the head. Each comes equipped with the proper decals and field markers.

No batteries are needed to enjoy "Super Jock" action, a feature that tends to keep dad happy on Christmas morning when he'd rather open his own presents than make that all too common trip to the store.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND: The first meeting between a guy and his dog can be a golden moment worth remembering. When it's captured on film with a new Kodak EK6 instant camera and flipflash, the occasion becomes a color picture eight minutes later.

TREE TIP

Don't forget to keep your tree well watered. A dry tree is susceptible to fire.

IMAGINATIVE CHRISTMAS FUN: Children playing with the new Playmobil System of colorfully designed miniature figures spend hours stretching the imagination. Figures can sit, stand, ride, and hold tiny objects in their hands, and are available in four different series — knights, cowboys, Indians, and construction workers.

Toy selection to spur imagination

For young children, toys and games mean more than "just fun." Playthings often provide a means for making contact with the world through make believe, role playing, and imitation of the grownup world.

It's essential, therefore, to select toys and games which are capable of providing outlets for a child's active imagination.

A new toy "system" is rapidly gaining popularity here. It offers children a world-in-miniature filled with colorful, exotic characters. The Playmobil System, with its four separate series of knights, Indians, construction workers and cowboys, combines clever props, accessories, and beautifully designed "little people" for unlimited make-believe possibilities.

The characters in the system are designed to be able to stand, sit, ride horses, and even hold objects.

In the knights series, for instance, the king and his knights carry flags and lances, toast each other with tiny goblets, and dine at rough-hewn tables.

The visual appeal of characters and accessories is so strong that parents often find it irresistible to join in their children's imaginative games.

Parents can begin their children with any of the Playmobil starter sets, available for each series and containing enough figures and accessories for hours of happy play.

As the children expand the scope of their activities, additional sets of add-on accessories and figures are available to provide limitless opportunities for new play situations.

Peace of mind — a great gift idea!

This Christmas give your house a room! And give yourself a quiet little corner of your world.

In this age of fast tempos, search for fulfillment and striving individualism we all could use a little "time out" in a private nook of our own. A place to read, write, listen to music, display our collections, catch up on paper work — or to just sit back and dream.

With the ever rising costs of construction materials and labor, one of the easiest and most economical ways to add a room to your home is to make use of already existing space which is not being completely utilized.

Take a look around your house and certainly you can find a poorly used corner, wall space which is not working for you or a room which can be painlessly partitioned.

Through the creative use of wall systems, such as a combination of System Cado wall furniture and System Cado free standing units, wasted wall space is put to work and a corner becomes a new "room."

Almost instantly you have created a new room without engaging an architect, the hassle of building permits, the cost of construction or forfeiting originality and the all-important touch of your own unique individualism.

The System Cado Components are all interchangeable and rearrangeable. Enjoy the fun of creating the perfect room for you or a member of your family as though you are choosing from a Chinese menu — what do you need or want in your "new room"?

The Cado wall systems have shelves, cabinets (with wood or glass doors), bar, desks, drawers — and even a wall mountable closet! In fact, if you send $1.00 (to cover handling and mailing) to Cado, P.O. Box 48, 57-08 39th Avenue, Woodside, New York 11377, they will send you a color brochure and planning guide so that you can put it all down on paper and do all your rearranging from your armchair.

Once your plan is made for the "new room," wrap it up with a big red bow, write a gift tag to the lucky recipient (with a tremendous and righteous flourish if it is to yourself from Santa!) and place it proudly under your Christmas tree. After all, it isn't every day that you build a room by yourself.

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A chronograph operates as a watch and stopwatch, and has as many uses as there are sports. In timing track or swimming meets, when it is important to keep individual, continuous and competitive times simultaneously, split-timing is necessary.

Now there is an electronic chronograph made by Heuer Time and Electronics which performs these functions. For professional athletes, amateur joggers, auto racers, skiers, sailors, the dual-display Heuer Chronosplit combines two digital displays in one elegant water-resistant case. Prices start at $395.00.

The LCD or liquid crystal display gives the basic watch functions — hour, minute, running seconds, and date. A built-in light can be activated for night-time viewing — strong enough to help you find a keyhole. The LED stopwatch gives accurate readings up to 9 hours, 59 minutes, and 59.9 seconds.

Those who require flawless performance in a watch will find the Chronosplit accurate to within five seconds a month — or a minute a year. This advanced step in timekeeping comes from a 115-year-old Swiss company that makes one out of every four stopwatches in the world today.

This is the most advanced solid-state circuitry in sleek stainless steel or gold plated cases, good looking by day and night, and the year's gift solution for the active sportsman.

'Tune in' on action

This Christmas everyone can "tune in" live action and drama such as police and fire emergencies on Public Service VHF (hi) broadcasts with tunable scanning radios.

A scanning radio is a receiver that samples, in sequence, a number of different Public Service band frequencies selected by the user. If there is a broadcast on any of the selected frequencies, the receiver stops scanning action so the user can hear the broadcast. When broadcasting stops, scanning resumes.

General Electric has two scanning radios, "The Searcher" and the "Mobile I Searcher," with which the user selects or tunes, on four separate channels, desired frequencies in the Public Service VHF (hi) band.

Unlike conventional scanning radios, GE's tunable scanning radios do not require individual crystals for each frequency on the Public Service band that the user decides to monitor.

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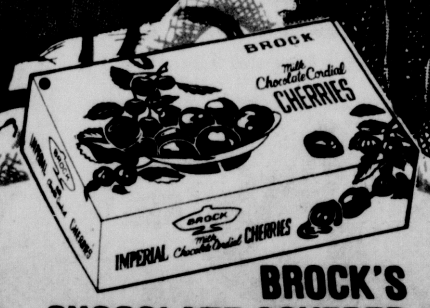

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4 SKEINS $3

- Orlon Acrylic. Pull Skein
- Popular Colors. Machine Wash

20-OZ. SIZE LISTERINE ANTISEPTIC

88¢

- Refreshing Mouthwash & Gargle
- Limit 2 Bottles to a Customer

PKG. OF 25 CHRISTMAS STICK-ON BOWS

33¢

- Stick-On. Assorted Colors

While Quantities Last

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- 75-Sq. Ft. Paper. 30" Wide
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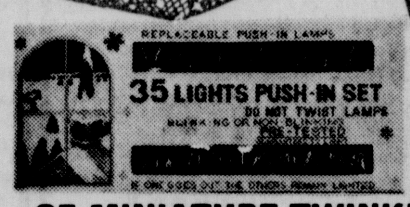

35 MINIATURE TWINKLE TREE LIGHTS

99¢

- Push-In Bulbs Burn Independently
- Assorted Colors

4-FOOT SCOTCH PINE CHRISTMAS TREE

5.97 In Carton

- Realistic Looking Green Polyester Branches. Easy To Assemble & Decorate. With Stand

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5.93
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OUR BOYS' 6.97 'WRANGLER' JEANS
5.42
- 100% Cotton Denim. No-Iron
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Our Regular 9.86
6.93 PR.
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- Solids & Fancies. 29-44

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Our Regular 57¢
37¢ PR.
- Choice Of Solid Colors
- Stretch Sizes 6-8 & 9-11

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Our Regular 9.97-13.97
8.91 PR.
- Polyester & Cotton. No-Iron
- Flare Leg Style. 29 to 38

MEN'S PERMANENT PRESS LONG SLEEVE PAJAMAS
Our Regular 5.97
4.94
- Of Blended Polyester and Cotton
- Solids. Long Legs. Sizes A to D

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BOYS' LONG SLEEVE SPORT SHIRTS
Our Regular 3.97
2.91
- No-Iron Blends In Solids & Patterns
- Tapered or Full Cut. Sizes 6 to 18

ENTIRE STOCK! MEN'S AND BOYS' COATS
25% OFF REG. PRICE
- Boys' Sizes 6 to 18
- Men's 36 to 46

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PKG. OF 3 MEN'S 'FRUIT-OF-THE-LOOM' BRIEFS AND TEE SHIRTS
2.73 PKG. OF 3
- 100% Cotton Knit In White
- Full Cut For Comfort
- Sizes For S,M,L

MEN'S LONG SLEEVE SPORT SHIRTS
3.94
- No-Iron Blends. Full Cut or Tapered Styles. S, M, L, XL

'Northern' Twin or Full Size Electric Blankets
Our Reg. to 15.97
13.94 EA.
- Single Fingertip Control. Solids
- Washable Polyester and Acrylic

While Quantities Last

8½x11½-FT. ROOM SIZE SHAG RUGS
19.93 Our Reg. 27.94
- Decorator Two-Tone Colors

Our Men's Reg. 2.97 'Fruit-Of-The-Loom' THERMAL UNDERWEAR
2.61 EACH PIECE
- Polyester and Cotton Blends
- Ankle Drawers. Long Sleeve Top. Machine Wash. S,M,L,XL

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5-PIECE DELUXE BATH MAT SET
Our Regular 8.47
6.93
- Solid Color Dacron Polyester Pile
- 2 Rugs, Lid Cover, 2-Pc. Tank Set

OUR REG. 4.97 'BEACON' BED BLANKETS
$4
- 100% Acrylic. 72x90"
- Popular Solid Colors

CRUSHED VELVET DRAPES OR BEDSPREADS
12.88 EA.
- Full Size Bedspread. 48x84-In. Draperies
- Decorator Solid Colors. Machine Washable

100% Cotton Terry BATH TOWELS
1.23 Our Reg. 1.57
- Soft and Absorbent
- Solids, Stripes, Patterns

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WOMEN'S EASY-CARE BLOUSES

Our Regular 7.94 to 8.94

6.63

- Poncho, Smock, Lace Trim or Shirt Style. Blended Fabrics
- Styles Shown Similar. 32-44

WOMEN'S STYLISH JUMP SUITS

Our Regular 17.94 to 21.94

14.47

- Pre-Washed Cotton Denim, Calcutta Cloth or Polyester
- Some With Contrasting Trim
- Zippered Front. Cinch Waist Styles Available
- Solids. 5-13 and 10-18

SAVE ON WOMEN'S WINTER COATS

Our Regular to 42.94

21.91

- Suede Look, Plaid, Fake Fur Trim and Others
- Assorted Styles & Colors
- 8 to 18 and 14½ to 24½

Women's Pre-Washed DENIM JEANS

Our Regular 12.94 to 14.94

10.33 PR.

- 100% Cotton Fabric
- In Assorted Styles
- In Sizes 5 to 14

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GIRLS' VINYL P.V.C. JACKETS

$6 EA.

- Lightweight Lining. Solids. 4-6X & 7-14

Special Purchase of Women's FASHION SWEATERS

9.33

Our Reg. 12.94

- Choice Of Several Patterns in Wrapped Cardigan Styles. Some Are Belted S,M,L

OUR WOMEN'S TO 21.94 SKIRT SETS, DRESSES & PANT SUITS

16.33 EA.

- Easy-Care Blended Fabrics
- Choice Of Styles & Colors
- 5 to 13, 8 to 18 & 14½ to 24½

POLYESTER DOUBLE KNIT FABRIC

87¢ YD.

- 1 to 5 Yard Lengths
- Solids and Patterns
- From 56 to 60" Wide

GIRLS' FASHIONABLE JUMP SUITS

9.63

- Polyester Blends. Popular Styles
- Solid Colors & Patterns. 4 to 6X & 7 to 14

MAGIC MORT DAYTIME 60'S DISPOSABLE DIAPERS

2.93 PKG.

- Soft and Absorbent. Safety Tapes

PRE-CHRISTMAS CLEARANCE! WOMEN'S Mix-N-Match Co-ordinates

25% Off REGULAR PRICE

- Skirts, Blouses, Slacks and Tops In Blended Fabrics
- Popular Styles and Patterns
- Sizes 8 to 18 and 14½ to 24½
- Not All Sizes In Each Style

OUR GIRLS' 5.94 EASY-CARE TOPS'

4.44

- Wide Choice Of Styles, Colors, Patterns
- No-Iron Blends. 4 to 6X & 7-14

OUR GIRLS' 7.94 TO 9.94 SLACKS & JEANS

6.91 PR.

- Polyester Slacks In Assorted Colors and Patterns. Blue Denim Jeans. 7-14
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OUR INFANTS' UP TO 9.94 WARM HOODED WINTER COATS

6.22

- Styles For Boys and Girls
- Solids & Patterns. 12 to 24 Months and 2 to 4 Years

GIRLS' FANCY KNEE-HI'S

Our Reg. 97c-1.27

76¢ PR.

- Orion and Nylon Blends. Assorted Patterns. Stretch Sizes 6½-8 & 9-11

INFANTS' DRESSES OR DIAPER SETS

Our Regular 3.94

3.22 EA.

- Assorted Carefree Fabrics. Newborn to 24 Months

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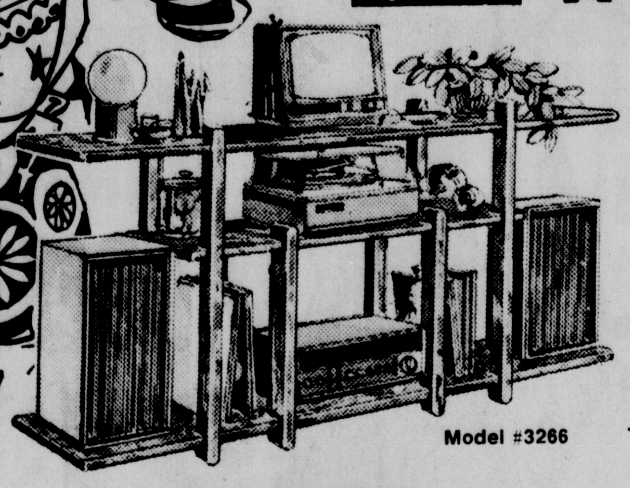
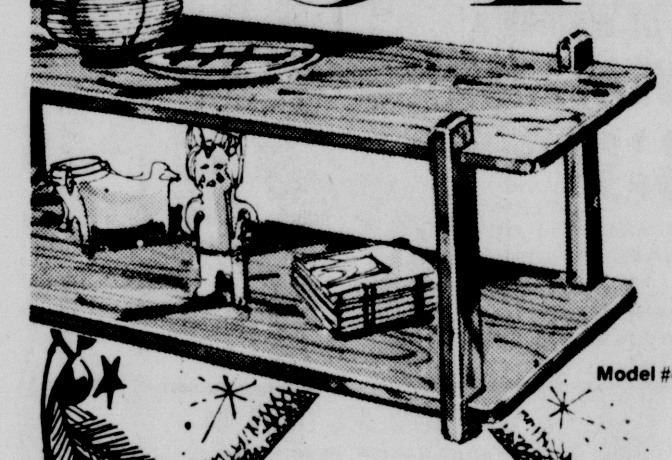


Model #3266

65x17x30-INCH
AMUSEMENT CENTER
34.97
Our Reg. 39.94

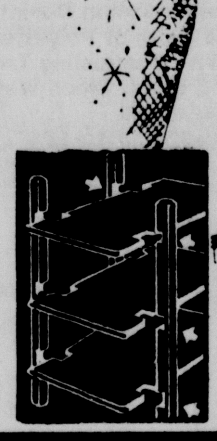


Model #4820

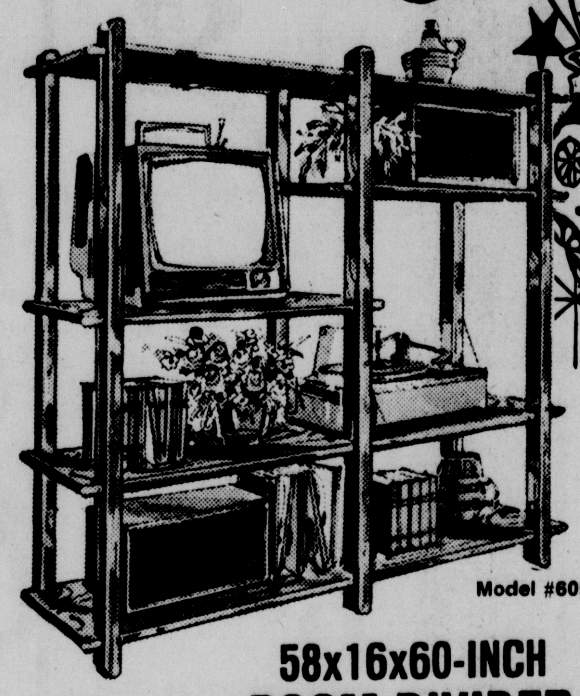
OUR REG. 29.97
COCKTAIL TABLE
24.77
- Size 47½x30x17½-Inches

All Pieces Below . . . In Carton

EASY TO ASSEMBLE SNAP TOGETHER FURNITURE



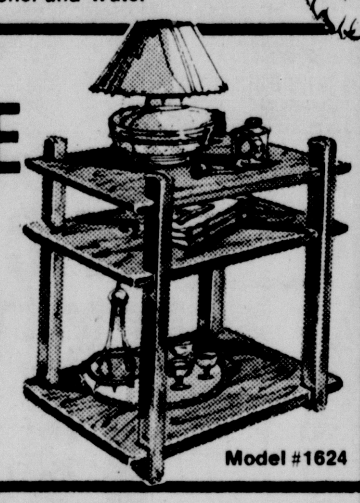
NO TOOLS NECESSARY!
- Fit Together Tables That Go Anywhere!
- So Attractive. Super Sturdy Construction
- Elegant Simulated Walnut Finish On Fibre-Wood. Resistant To Alcohol and Water



Model #6058

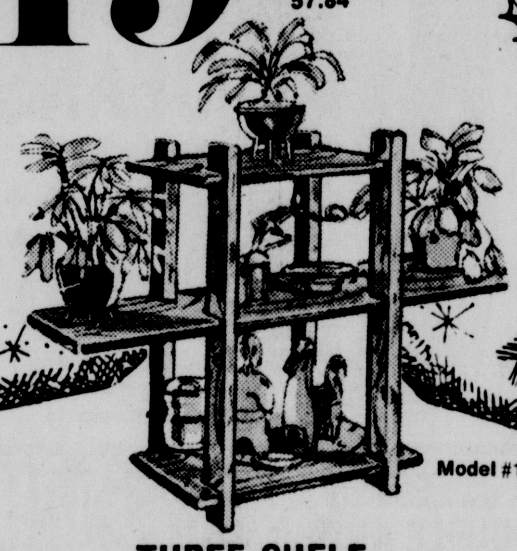
58x16x60-INCH
ROOM DIVIDER
49.99
Our Reg. 57.84

3-SHELF LAMP
UTILITY TABLE
15.77
Our Reg. 19.94
- Size 24½x16½x23½-Inches



Model #1624

3-TIER ROUND
PLANT STAND
14.77
Model #1332
- Size 13x22-Inches High

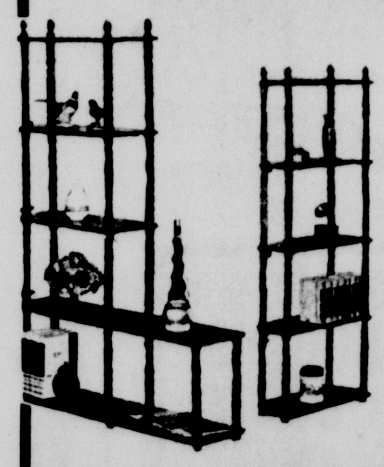


Model #1032

THREE-SHELF
UTILITY STAND
14.77
- 27½x10½x31½-Inches

USE OUR LAYAWAY

Decorator Design Room Divider
WOODEN ETAGERES



5 SHELF **21.77**

'L' SHAPE **24.77**
- Walnut Grained Finish
- In Carton, Easily Assembled

OUR REG. 33.70
'TROJAN'
3-PIECE SET OF LUGGAGE

26.77 SET
If Bought Separately Would Be . . . 33.70
- 15" Train Case, 21" Weekender, 25" Pullman. Green, Blue, Charcoal

2-TRAY PLASTIC SEWING CHEST
Our Regular 3.96
2.84
Models #SC98 & #SC108
- Spindles & Compartments
- Choice Of Green or Gold

SPECIAL GROUP!
FRAMED PICTURES
25% Off REG. PRICE
- Assorted Scenes and Sizes

ENTIRE STOCK OF MACRAME ROPES
1/3 OFF REG. PRICE
- Assorted Lengths and Colors

Bowl Not Included

While Quantities Last

CHOICE OF 'PINE BROOK' ACCENT TABLES
33.33 In Carton
- 26x26x19"-Hi Hex Drum or Cocktail Table. Vinyl Veneered Pine Stain Finish. Simulated Doors. Brass Finish Hardware

OUR 55.43 STURDY VINYL RECLINER
49.97 In Carton

- Styled For Comfort
- Tufted Back
- Flip-Up Foot Rest
- Black, Gold or Brown

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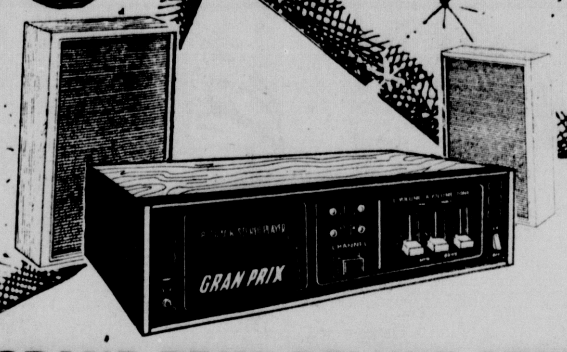


Our Reg. 34.88

29.97

Model #GP2000

- Automatic or Manual Channel Selector
- Channel Slide Control
- With 2 Speakers

REMINGTON 'SPEEDMASTER' .22-CAL. AUTOMATIC RIFLE

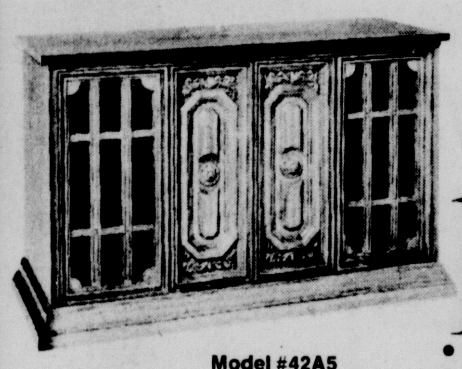
Our Reg. 78.36

63.88

Model #552ADL

- Smooth Stock, Tapered Fore-end. Bead Front
- Adjustable Rear Sights
- Shoots .22 Short, Long or Long Rifle

42-IN. 'CAPEHART' CONSOLE STEREO



Model #42A5

139.97

Our Reg. 179.97

- AM/FM 8-Track Player Phonograph
- Separate Volume, Balance Tone

12-VOLT D/C POWER TRANSFORMER

18.88

Our Reg. 22.96

Model #90-306

- To Convert C.B. Radios to A/C House Current

SAVE ON 'PETERS' LONG RANGE GAME LOAD SHOTGUN SHELLS

Limit 3 Boxes **2.98** BOX OF 25

- 12-Gauge, 4 or 6 Shot. 20-Gauge, 6 Shot
- Plastic Body, Power Piston, 'Kleanbore, Priming

GENERAL ELECTRIC' LOUD MOUTH 8-Track Tape Player

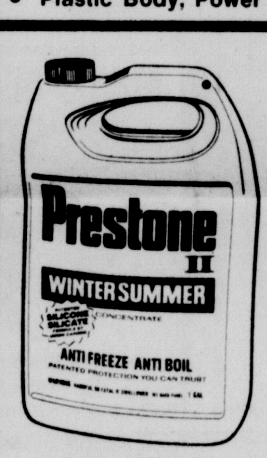
47.97

- 2-Speaker System. 3-Way Power
- Program Indicator Lighter. Tone Control

'SPORT GRIP' STEERING WHEEL COVER

1.99

- Stretches To Fit. Choice of Tan, Black, Grey, Green



PRESTONE II ANTI FREEZE

3.49 GAL.

- Guards Against Rust and Corrosion
- Limit 2 Gallons To a Customer

RCA PORTABLE AM-FM RADIO

9.97

Model #RZM-142

- High-Low Tone Control. Includes Earphone, Wrist Strap and 9-Volt Battery

CHOICE OF NAME BRAND TENNIS BALLS

2.13 CAN OF 3

- Wilson, Dunlop or Penn Brand. Vacuum Sealed
- For All Court Surfaces
- Limit 2 Cans

PKG. OF 3 CASSETTE TAPES

1.67 PKG.

- 60 Minute Tapes
- Tape Without Leader

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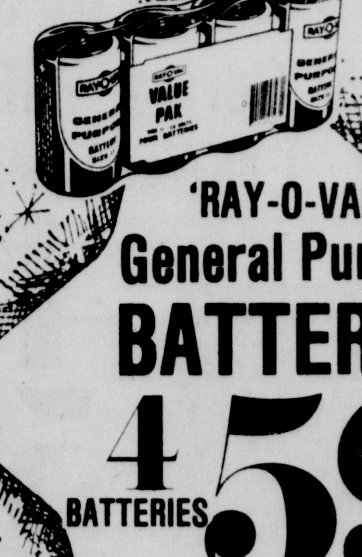
SPINTRIM™ EDGER TRIMMER

Our Regular 49.95

39.95

Model #ST-102

- Cuts With Nylon Cord
- Trims Hard To Reach Places. Lightweight



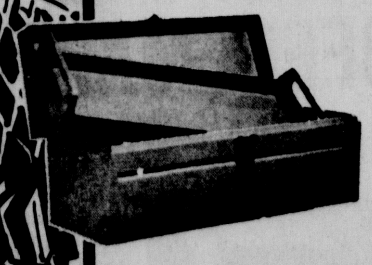
RAY-O-VAC

'RAY-O-VAC' General Purpose BATTERIES

4 BATTERIES **59¢**

- Choice of C or D Cell in Packages of 4. Limit 8 Batteries

19-IN. 'ALL AMERICAN' TOOL BOX



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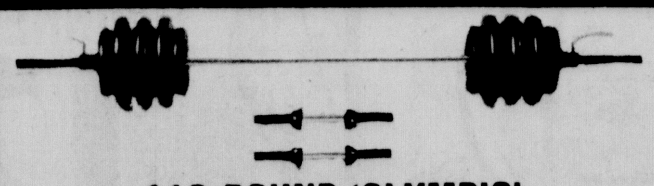
Model #PL-19

- Metal With Convenient Lift-Out Tray



110-POUND 'OLYMPIC' Barbell & Dumbell Set

Our Reg. 27.63

19.99

- Set Includes Weights, 5-Foot Bar and Dumbbell Bars

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WOMEN'S 5-FUNCTION L.E.D. WATCH
Timeband by Fairchild

34.95 Silver Metal Case

- Hours, Minutes, Seconds, Month and Date
- Yellow Color Case – 39.95

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MEN'S 5-FUNCTION L.E.D. WATCHES
TIMEBAND BY FAIRCHILD

44.95 EA.

- Hours, Minutes, Seconds, Months, Date
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'LADY REMINGTON' Cordless Shaver
24.99

- Rechargeable Two Headed System For Legs and Underarms. With Replacement Blades & Case

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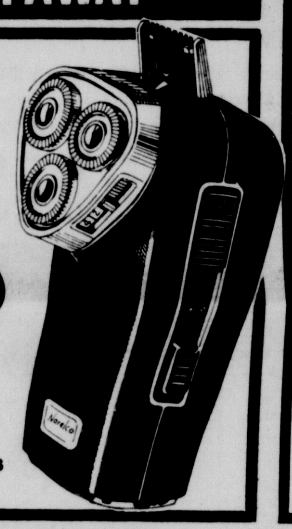
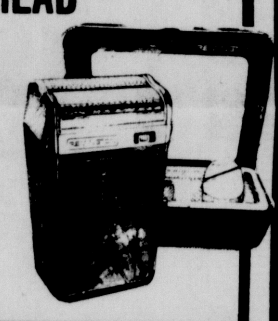
Men's 'Norelco' 'The Charger' Rechargeable Rotary Razor
42.99



- Has 36 Rotary Razor Blades
- 9 Closeness/Comfort Settings
- In Deluxe Travel Case

MEN'S REMINGTON DUAL HEAD 'SOFT TOUCH'
34.99



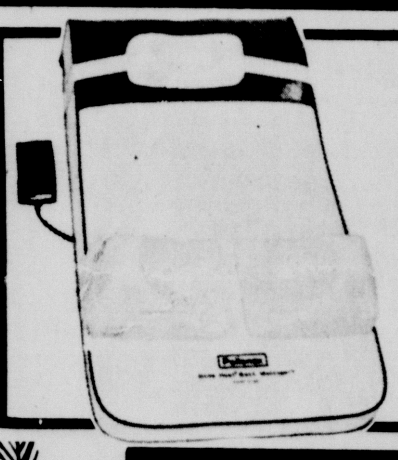
- Flexible Screen Shaver. Pop-Up Trimmer. Mirrored Travel Case

'Kodak 608' Tele-Instamatic CAMERA OUTFIT
30.99

- Take a Normal Shot or Switch to Telephoto – The 608 Lets You Decide
- Camera, Film & Flipflash

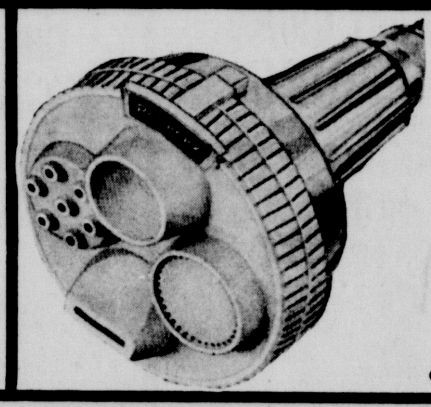
POLAROID 'Electric Zip' CAMERA
17.76

- Color or Black & White
- Electric Eye . . . 2 Element Lens
- Red, White and Blue Case



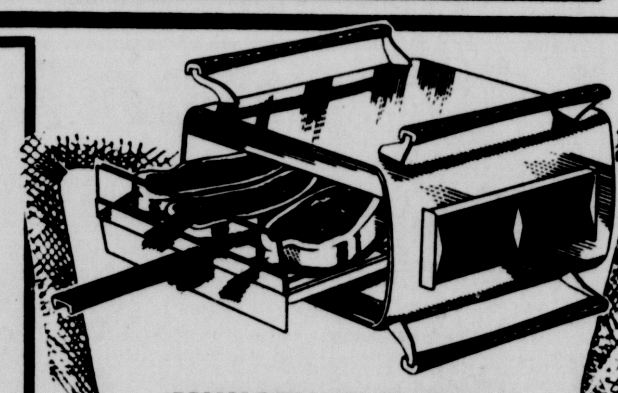
'POLLENEX' DELUXE BACK MASSAGE
29.97 Our Reg. 34.88

- King Size 28x15-Inch Pad
- Infra-Red Heat or Massage
- Eight-Way Comfort Control



'POLLENEX' Wall Mount Dial Shower Massage
Our Reg. 17.88 **14.88** Model #DM-100

- Four Shower Heads In One Unit



'MUNSEY' FLIP-FLOP TOASTER-OVEN
12.88

- Size 10x8⅞" Tray
- Range Type Element
- Overall Size Is 12x7½x9⅜-In. With Cord

Our Entire Stock Of Series 698 LP's & Series 798 Tapes
ON SALE IN THIS EVENT

4.88 ALBUMS SERIES 698

5.88 TAPES SERIES 798

While Quantities Last

45-PIECE SET OF 'MELAMINE' DINNERWARE
17.74

- 8 Each: 10" Plates, Mugs, Soups, Bread & Butters, Salads and 1 Each: Vegetable, Platter, Sugar With Lid & Creamer
- Choice of Patterns

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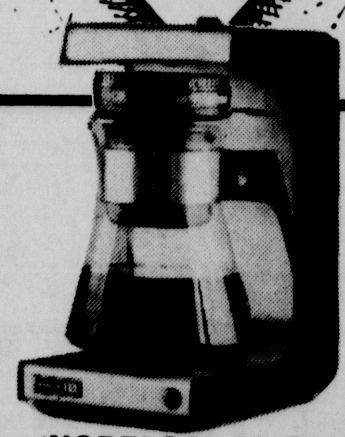

'NORELCO' 10-CUP DIAL-A-BREW COFFEEMAKER
Our Reg. 32.88 **27.88** Model BH5140

- Control For Strong, Light or Medium Coffee. Illuminated Signal Light

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'JOVAN' MUSK COLOGNE & AFTER SHAVE

4.99

- 4 Ounce Bottle. Invigorating

4¾-OZ. 'OLD SPICE' AFTER SHAVE

1.33

- Brisk, Spicy, Manly Fragrance

4-ROLL PKG. HOLIDAY GIFT WRAP

77¢

- 26 Inches Wide. 20 Sq. Ft. Of Foil and 36 Sq. Ft. Of Paper. Holiday Solids and Prints

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'MENNEN' NOVELTY After Shave Gifts

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- Golf Club or Barber Pole Glass Decanter. 4-Ounce

'FRAGRANT FRUIT' Bubble Bath

1.37 Model #955

- 5-Oz. Net Wt. In Fruit Fragrances

PKG. OF 100 CHRISTMAS SEALS, TAGS & CARDS

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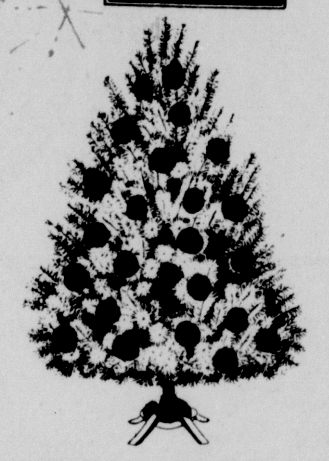

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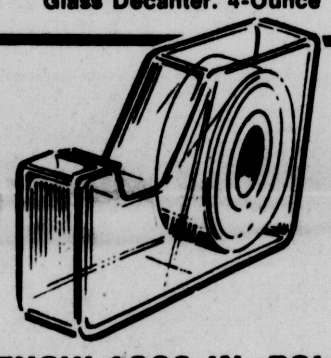

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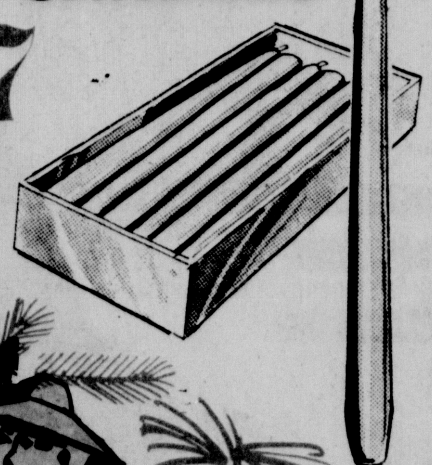

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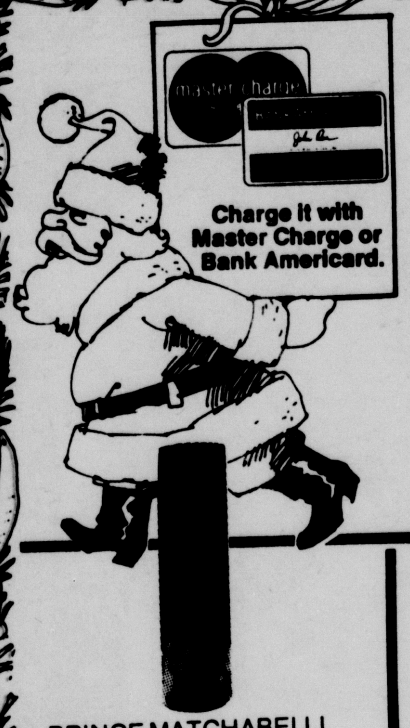

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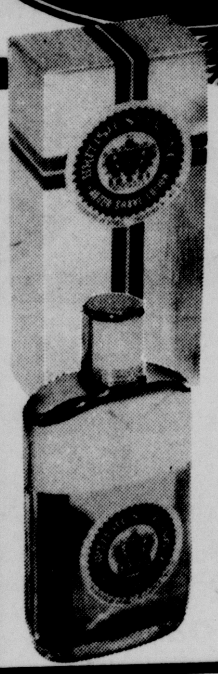

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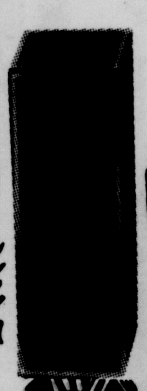

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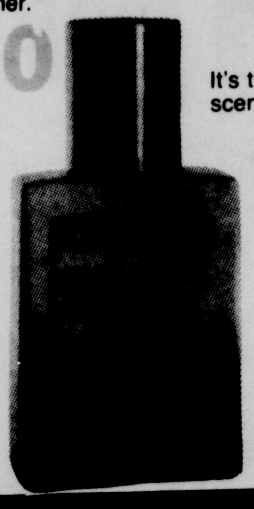

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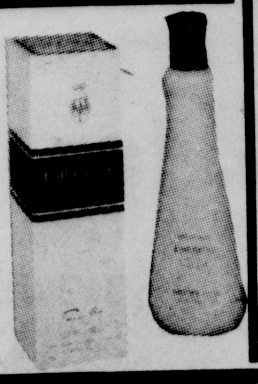

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1½ ounce
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The Daily Standard 30¢

SIKESTON, SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1976

Prince Valiant® IN THE DAYS OF KING ARTHUR

by HAL FOSTER

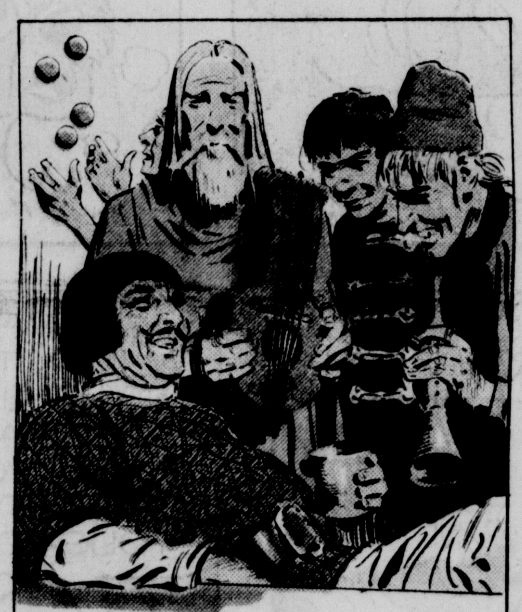
Our Story: PRINCE ARN SPENDS THE SUMMER AT CAMELOT, STUDYING STATECRAFT IN THE ARCHIVES.

AUTUMN COMES, THE LEAVES TURN TO GOLD AND IT IS HARVEST TIME. WHEN POSSIBLE, THE KNIGHTS TURN WORK INTO SPORT.

BEATERS DRIVE THE DEER TOWARDS THE HUNTERS. THERE IS MUCH COMEDY AND SOME INJURIES AS VENTURESOME KNIGHTS VIE WITH EACH OTHER TO SHOW THEIR SKILL AND DARING.

WINTER WITH ITS SNOW AND RAIN AND SLUSH DRIVES EVERYONE TO THE SHELTER OF THE CASTLE. ONLY THE MINSTRELS TREAD THE MUDDY ROADS, FOR THEY FIND SHELTER AND PROFIT WHEREVER THEY GO.

IT IS WARM IN THE GREAT HALL OF CAMELOT WITH ITS TWO GREAT FIREPLACES AND TAPESTRIES COVERING THE COLD STONE WALLS. HERE THE JUGGLERS, CLOWNS AND MUSICIANS BRING AMUSEMENT, BUT BEST OF ALL, NEWS AND GOSSIP OF THE WORLD OUTSIDE...



SIR DINADAN, AS COURT JESTER, NATURALLY TAKES CHARGE OF THE ENTERTAINMENT AND BECOMES FAMILIAR WITH ALL THE JONGLEURS.

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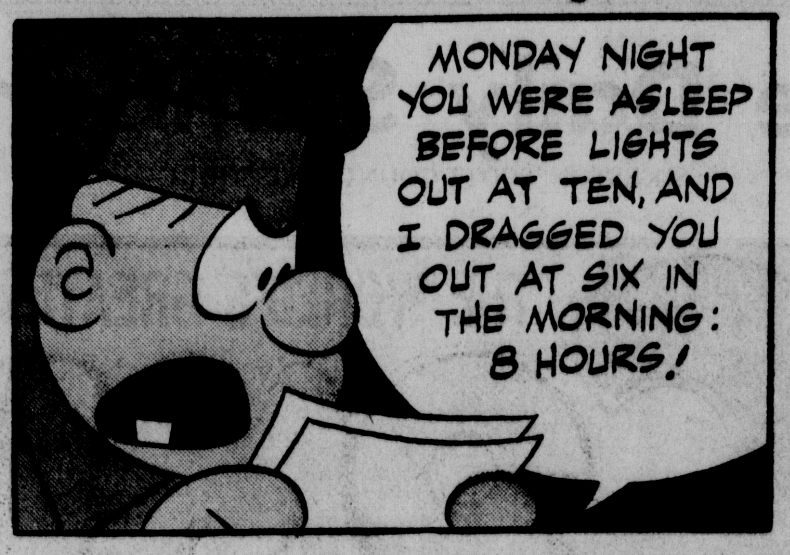

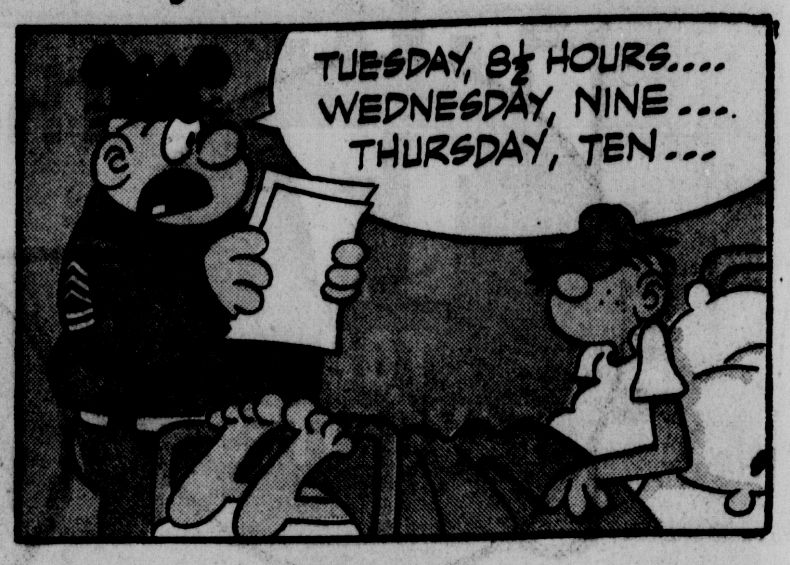

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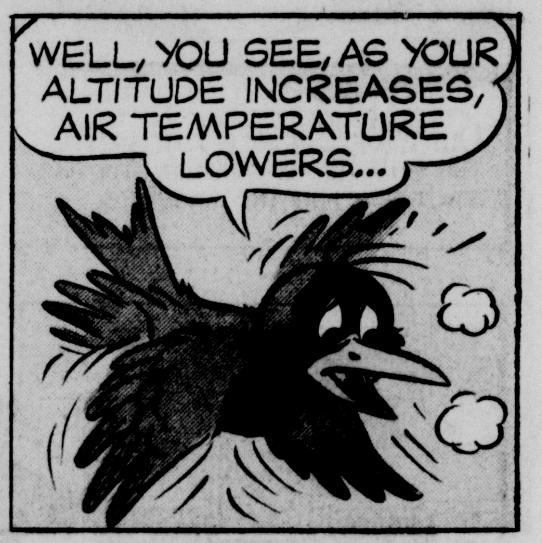


BARNEY GOOGLE and SNUFFY SMITH

by FRED LASSWELL

ARCHIE

BRINGING UP FATHER

by BILL KAVANAGH & FRANK FLETCHER

Hi and Lois

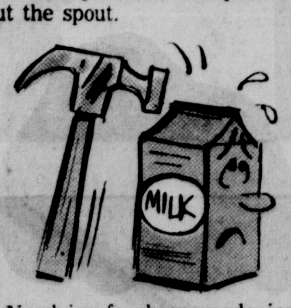
by MORT WALKER and DIK BROWNE

PONYTAIL ◦ ◦ BY LEE HOLLEY

HELP FOR HOMEMAKERS

DEAR HELOISE:

I've been freezing water in clean half-gallon milk cartons. It keeps the freezer full until I need the space. I have ice for the camp cooler, and when it melts I have water for our seven little boys. For cool drinks, I hammer it a bit with my kitchen hammer (or meat pounder) and pour it out the spout.



Need ice for homemade ice cream? I've got it!

Wanda

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Now, that's what I call using your old noggin'.

It is a known fact a freezer operates more efficiently when it is full or almost full, and should the power go off you have ice to help keep things from spoiling. And, like you said, you have plenty of ice for other uses. All for free!

Heloise

LET'S HAVE PASTA!

DEAR HELOISE:

When cooking, sometimes I don't use an entire can of tomato paste. Rather than just putting it in the refrigerator and most likely forgetting it, I put it in a margarine tub and slip it in the freezer. Then, using a clean knife or spoon, I can dig out as much as I want to use.

I don't have to open a new can when sometimes just a spoonful or two is all I need in cooking something.

Mrs. E. W. Zimmerman

THE RIGHT FORK!

DEAR HELOISE:

I discovered this quite by accident.

I just got a dishwasher a few months ago and I was having trouble with my long-handled forks, spoons, and spatulas. They were too tall to put in the silverware rack and when I put them in the rotary shelf on top, they slid out the sides.

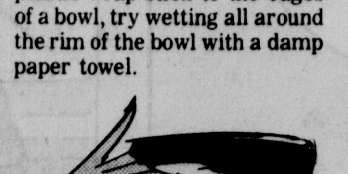
Since all my utensils have holes in the ends of the handles, I simply slipped them over one of the spikes and presto, no more problems with them slipping out the side.

Lillie DeRossett

A STICKY PROBLEM

DEAR HELOISE:

If you ever have that annoying problem of not having plastic wrap stick to the edges of a bowl, try wetting all around the rim of the bowl with a damp paper towel.



When you put the plastic on, the water will help hold the plastic beautifully.

A Sincere Reader

SHORTY PINUPS

DEAR HELOISE:

I'm 5 feet 1. When I shop for pants, skirts, or dresses, it's hard to tell how they look because they're so long.

The last time I shopped, I put about six straight pins on a piece of cardboard and put them in my purse before I left home.

Now when I try something on, I can pin up the hem to get an idea how it will look when it is shortened.

Sometimes fitting rooms have pins on the floor but not always.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hurlbut

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Us shorties do have that problem and you just helped solve it!

Thanks, doll!

Heloise

THE DESK SET

DEAR HELOISE:

Recently I moved into my brother's room when he moved out, and I was faced with the situation of decorating the room.

I got a new desk and wanted a desk set that matched. Since I didn't have a lot of money to spend I decided to make my own.

I took a large piece of cardboard and covered it with some adhesive-backed paper. I took a box that stick deodorant came in, covered it and had a matching pencil holder. I used construction paper to make pockets on the cardboard piece.

Now I have a nice desk set.

Pam Kostolyn

ALL CHOKED UP!

DEAR HELOISE:

For a very distinctive looking choker necklace, try this idea!

Take two link-type bracelets and fasten them together. (If your hair is long, they do not even have to match.)

I've received many compliments on the chokers I've created.

D. Christine Hach

THANK YOU, DARLENE!

DEAR HELOISE:

I go to an elementary school and I take my lunch very often.

One time I had my choice of taking corn chips, pretzels or tortilla chips. I like them all very much and couldn't decide which to take in my lunch. So I took a bag and put in some tortilla chips, some pretzels, and some corn chips.

It was good and I had a variety.

Darlene Hiles
Age 11

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Mixed up munchies, huh! Sounds good to me. You sure were a smartie! I love you very much.

Aunt Heloise

FAN MY BROW!

DEAR HELOISE:

Here's a tip for all those girls who suffer from superfine eyebrow "droops." Many times the hairs in the eyebrow will tend to droop rather than keep their arched, fine line.

A remedy for this problem is to spray some hair spray on the end of a cotton swab until it is saturated. Then gently stroke the brows with this moistened end to achieve the desired shape. The other end of the cotton swab, which is still dry, may be used to remove excess spray from the brow.

Gail Hoofnagle

FIDO'S FANCY

DEAR HELOISE:

I had to wash my dog the other day and was a little concerned as it was not a warm day.

I got the bright idea of putting a towel in the dryer, turned it to the hottest temperature, and when doggie was through with his bath, I enveloped him in the warm towel.

He was so delightfully surprised he didn't even try to get away.

Joan Bard

LETTER OF LAUGHTER

DEAR "HELL"—OOPS!
DEAR HELOISE:

Since I've been laid off from my job, I've become a TV game and panel show addict and have found the best way to turn the "boob tube" off, is not to turn it on in the first place!

Mrs. M.F.

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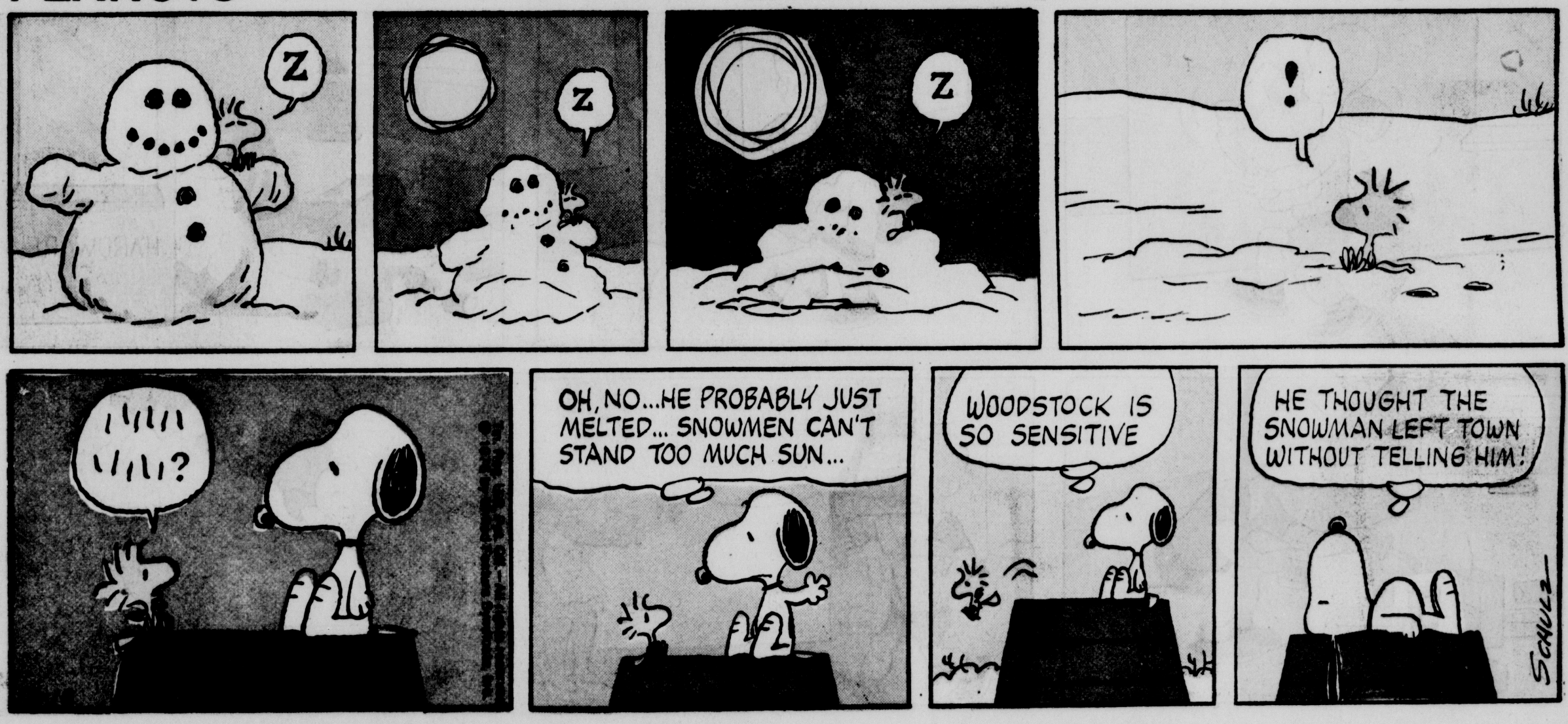
LITTLE IODINE

PEANUTS

By Schulz



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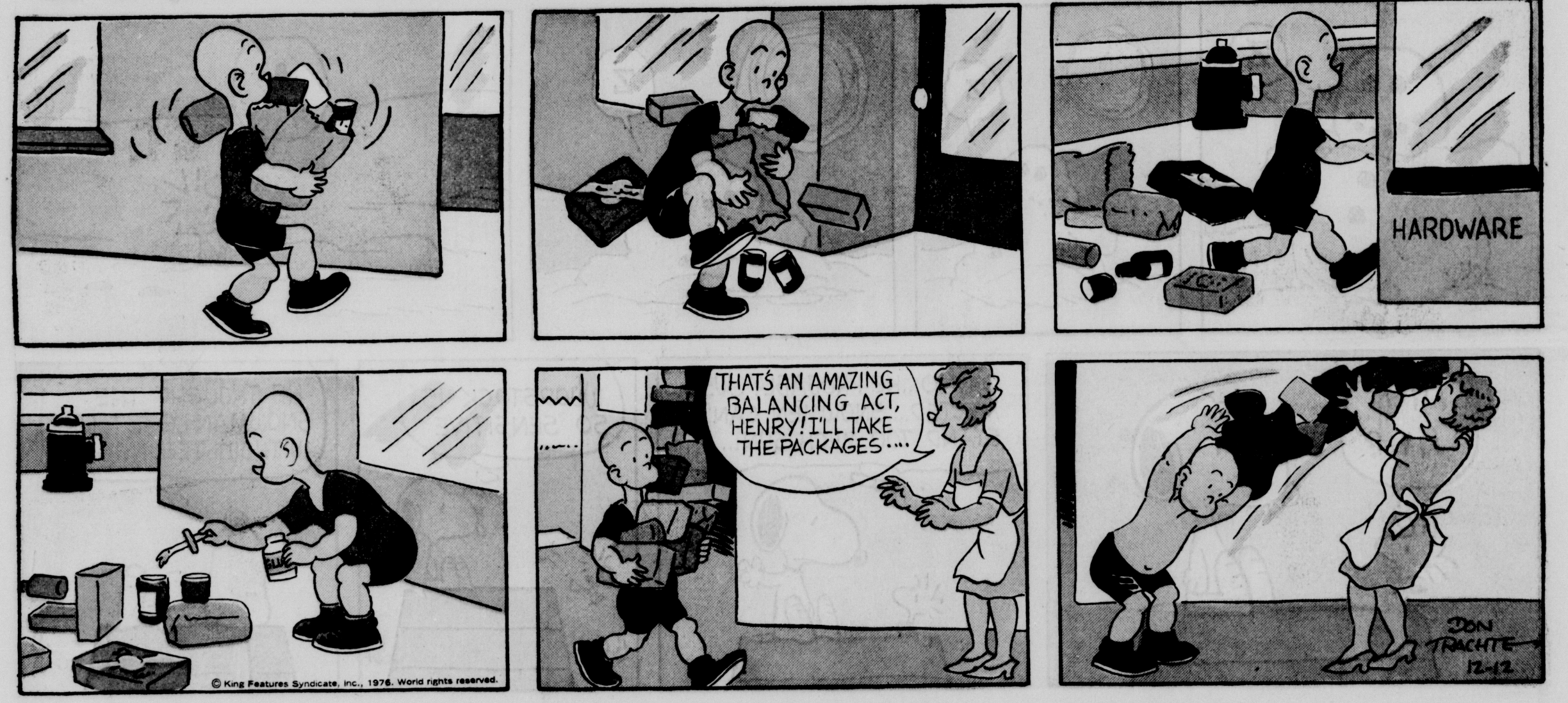

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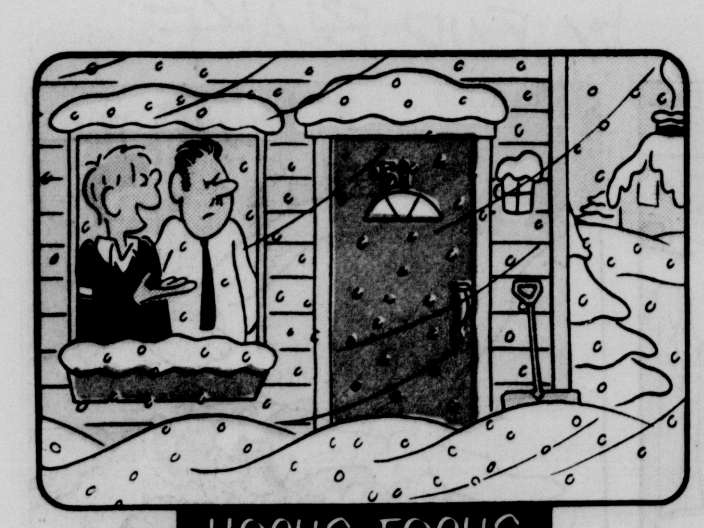

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●Tell-Me-This! I'm a certain good thing that everyone enjoys at a Yuletide meal. What am I? Give up? How about a good appetite?

●Challenge: Take four from four and leave eight. Clue: This takes paper, but a pen or pencil will not help. No fair peeking.

Cut four corners from a sheet of paper and eight corners will be left.

●Tongue Testers! Say fast, several times: Santa's sled sped slowly southward. Then try: The Duke drank a drink at the Dewdrop Inn.

UP A TREE! There's no need to wait for Christmas to trim this tree. It can be done immediately—if you're smart!

As you see, nine ornaments are arranged in a triangle on the tree's surface. You are asked to insert the numbers one through nine in the ornaments so that each of the three sides totals 17. Corner numbers figure in adjacent sides.

Time limit: Five minutes are required here. One possible answer is given below, but don't peek until you've given the test a fair try.

Answer: Top 1, clockwise, 6, 7, 3, 4, 8, 2, 9, 5.

EYE-POPPER! Fix eyes on lollipop. Bring page gradually closer to your face. Which Santa licks the lollipop?

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SOCKED IN! Add these colors neatly for a timely picture above: 1—Red. 2—Lt. blue. 3—Yellow. 4—Lt. brown. 5—Flesh tones. 6—Lt. green. 7—Lt. purple. 8—Dk. purple. 9—Black.

SPELLBINDER!

SCORE 10 points for using all the letters in the word below to form two complete words:

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THEN score 2 points each for all words of four letters or more found among the letters.

Try to score at least 50 points.

Possible answers: Vote, fair.

Teasdale hits PSC for Bell rate hike

Missouri Governor-elect Joseph P. Teasdale of Kansas City said Saturday that the Missouri Public Service Commission approval of recent Southwestern Bell rate hikes was another indication that commission members favored utilities over consumers, and strengthened his belief that they will "have to go."

Teasdale made the comments during a brief afternoon airport press conference on his arrival in Sikeston for the Governor's Ball held Saturday night at the National Guard Armory.

"The situation has not changed since my election," Teasdale said, "the public utilities commission continues to favor utilities without explanation or regard to the mandate I received in the election."

Teasdale scored an upset election victory over incumbent Gov. Christopher Bond in the November general election.

The governor- elect said "The first act I will engage in after I am sworn in is to get with those people (Public Service Commission) and try to convince them that they have to go."

In commenting about his absence from public view since the election, Teasdale said he has been busy studying for his new job and preparing his budget and legislative program. He said he has not taken time for a vacation since November 2, and that preparing a $2.5 billion budget has kept him in seclusion.

Teasdale also said he had been working on a list of names for appointments to his administration. He said that a talent search is underway, looking for the best Missouri has to offer. He said among the new faces in Jefferson City would be many loyal Teasdale Democrats.

When asked how he felt about having a Republican Lieutenant Governor, Teasdale said he did not expect any trouble from William Phelps. "Bill Phelps, to my knowledge, is a responsible man. I don't think he will do anything to undermine me or my programs. Under the Constitution, he (Phelps) has a job to preside over the Senate and that's it. It doesn't make any difference if the lieutenant governor is a Republican or a Democrat, he doesn't have any power. He has a job to do in the Senate and that's all."

Teasdale is to take office as Missouri's 48th Governor on January 10.

Greetings

Missouri Governor-elect Joseph P. Teasdale is greeted at Sikeston Municipal Airport by Scott County Magistrate Judge Lloyd Briggs, prior to the Governor's Ball, held at the Sikeston National Guard Armory. Teasdale said his public appearances since winning the November election over incumbent Christopher S. Bond have been limited because he has been busy preparing a budget, and legislative program, and is screening people for possible appointments in the Teasdale Administration. (Daily Standard photo)

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Holt tried to kill wife 3 times, mistress says

CARUTHERSVILLE — The 17-year- old mistress of Bragg City grocer Eugene Holt has testified that Holt made three unsuccessful tries to kill his wife — and plotted two more attempts — before she was found slain Nov. 23.

Wanda McAllister of Bragg City, who identified herself as having been the grocer's mistress for nearly a year, testified at a preliminary hearing Friday that Holt felt he couldn't afford to divorce his wife, Patricia Joy, to marry her.

Miss McAllister, composed for most of her testimony until cross- examined by Holt's attorney, also said Holt tried to bribe her four days ago to change her testimony. The hearing was held before Pemiscot County Magistrate Sidney Chaffin.

Holt, 34, charged with capital murder as an accessory in the slaying, remained free on $25,000 bond pending arraignment in Circuit Court. Chaffin rejected a request to increase the bail.

County prosecutor Michael Hazel had asked for the higher bond, noting Holt's alleged attempt to persuade Miss McAllister to change her testimony.

Miss McAllister's cousin, Roger Dale Jackson, 18, who is also charged with capital murder in the case, testified that Holt hired him to commit the slaying in return for $1,000.

Jackson was held in the county jail on $25,000 bond.

Miss McAllister, a high school drop-out, testified that Holt had planned to kill his wife because Mrs. Holt, 34, had often rejected his requests for a divorce.

"She wouldn't (divorce him) unless she got everything," the girl testified. "And Eugene said he wasn't about to let her."

Between June and the day of Mrs. Holt's death, Holt spoke of two attempts to drown his wife and one attempt to electrocute her while she was in the bathtub, Miss McAllister said.

He also spoke of appearing to accidentally shoot his wife in front of his mother and of hiring a Memphis acquaintance to kill his wife, the girl testified.

Jackson was offered $1,000 by Holt in April to kill Mrs. Holt, a plan that caused Miss McAllister to waver repeatedly on whether it should be carried out, the girl testified.

"Eugene said he was 99 per cent sure if Roger did everything like he had planned, he wouldn't get caught," she said.

Miss McAllister and Jackson testified that Holt's plan was for Jackson to shoot Mrs. Holt, dragg her body into the bathroom, spray the house with charcoal lighter and set the building on fire.

Miss McAllister, who said she received immunity from prosecution in exchange for her testimony, said the shooting was originally set for Nov. 13, but was delayed when she worried that Jackson might be caught.

Holt said "it would be him (Roger) who hung for it if he got caught," she said.

Holt telephoned her the night of the killing and told her he was going to a local basketball game to provide an alibi for himself, she said.

Miss McAllister said Holt called her Monday and asked her to change her testimony at the hearing, promising a Christmas trip to Memphis.

"I said I was too scared. I was afraid if I did my grandparents would throw me out," she said. "He said if that happened, he'd leave me $25 in the mailbox outside the house."

The girl said that, despite her refusal, she did find $25 in the mailbox the next morning and spent it.

Miss McAllister testified that her affair with Holt began in January, about two months after she stayed at the Holts' at the suggestion of Mrs. Holt and his mother so she could be near medical attention. Miss McAllister was pregnant at the time.

Under cross-examination by Holt's attorney, Jim Ed Reeves, Miss McAllister, with tears in her eyes, acknowledged she

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9 injured in accidents

Nine persons were injured -- one seriously -- in five accidents Saturday on area roads according to the highway patrol.

A four-vehicle accident at 4:45 p.m. on Route K, two miles west of Cape Girardeau resulted in minor injuries to two persons.

The patrol said a pickup truck traveling west being driven by Glenn Wilson Priest, 45, of Gordonville attempted to make a left turn as an eastbound car driven by Robert Boitnott Jr., 17, of Jackson, was approaching. The car struck the truck in the right side, knocking it into the front of a car driven by Matthew Jirauch Jr., 30, of Cape Girardeau, which was stopped. According to the patrol either the Priest truck or the Jirauch car then scraped the right side of a pickup truck driven west by Orville Thoma, 31, of Cape Girardeau.

Wilson Morton, 21, of Jackson, a passenger in the Boitnott car, and Julie Jirauch, 6, of Cape Girardeau, a passenger in the Jirauch car, received minor injuries. Both were taken to St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau.

One person received minor injuries in a station wagon-car accident at 5:20 p.m. on Route J four miles north of Hayti in Pemiscot County.

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Ambulance waits

A Missouri Delta Community Hospital ambulance waits next to Frisco Railroad tracks, while attendents bring in the body of Rick Hammock, 13, 1002 Ruth St. The Hammock youth was struck and killed by a Frisco work train about 4:30 p.m., as the boy walked along the tracks while hunting two miles south of Murray Lane, according to Sikeston Public Safety officers. (Daily Standard photo)

Sikeston youth killed when struck by train

Rick Hammock, the 13-year- old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammock, 1002 Ruth St., was killed Saturday evening when he was struck by a Frisco Railroad work train, about two miles south of Murray Lane.

Sikeston Public Safety officers said Hammock was walking along the tracks with three other youths, Donald Fodge, Keith Lawson and Travis Cummings when he was struck by the locomotive about 4:30 p.m.

The youths were reportedly rabbit hunting, but officers said they did not have statements from any of the three as of Saturday night.

The youths reportedly told others that they warned Hammock that the train was approaching, and when he turned to look, he froze and did not move.

New Madrid County Coroner Gene Clayton said the train was traveling about 50 miles per hour and knocked the badly mangled body from the tracks.

The train was being operated by Fireman G. W. Roberts. The engineer was R. S. Lilliker of Chaffee.

The train crew told officers it was against company policy to give statements about accidents and refused to say anything.

The body was taken to Nunnelee Funeral Home, where arrangements are incomplete.

Survey response low

There is less than overwhelming interest in a commuter airline link between Sikeston and St. Louis if the number of responses to a Chamber of Commerce questionnaire is any indication.

Only 33 persons bothered to respond to the survey during November.

The commuter airline service is being proposed by SeMo Airways of Malden.

The survey indicated that, on the average, each one of those responding to the survey made 19 trips to St. Louis annually, with 40 per cent of the trips to catch flights to other cities.

Most of these responding wanted their morning flights to arrive in St. Louis between 8 and 9 a.m. and their afternoon flights to arrive any time between 1 and 5 p.m.

Most indicated they wanted the morning flights to arrive in Sikeston between 6 and 9 a.m. and the afternoon flights to arrive in Sikeston between 6 and 8 p.m.

Four persons indicated they make use of 177 air freight trips to St. Louis with a total package weight of 140 pounds. Seven persons said they make use of 138 air freight trips from St. Louis.

None of the respondents said their company imposed restrictions on the use of commuter airlines, but one of the respondents said he has reservations about flying in commuter-type aircraft.

Good morning

Sunday highlights

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AND OUTSIDE

Partly cloudy today through Monday. High today mostly in 30's. Low tonight mid teens to 20's. High Monday still in 30's.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Clear to partly cloudy and mild Tuesday through Thursday. Little or no precipitation expected. Highs in the upper 40's and 50's, and lows ranging mostly in the upper 20's and lower 30's.

FROM INSIDE

St. Louis Cardinals reacquire third baseman Ken Reitz in a trade with San Francisco Giants Friday. For story and other sports turn to ... Section A.

The second annual Kingsway Mall Merchants and First National Bank silver dollar sale is scheduled for Monday. For busines and farm news turn to ... Section B.

This week's lifescape takes you to the Heritage House for lively steppin'. Turn to ... Section C.

Sunset today	4:42 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow	7:03 a.m.
Moonrise tonight	10:40 p.m.
Last Quarter	Dec. 14

PROMINENT STARS

Regulus leads the moon.
Aldebaran high overhead at moonrise.

VISIBLE PLANETS

Venus low southwest ..... 6:04 p.m.
Saturn well above Regulus as it rises.
Jupiter west of Aldebaran.

Job Service starts new program

The Sikeston Job Service, office is adding a new program involving young people of the community who are interested in temporary, part-time employment to earn a few extra dollars while attending high school.

Examples of needed job openings are raking yards, general house cleaning and other domestic work, store work of any type and any other job you may need done. They need not be lengthy jobs -- even jobs with as little as one hour duration are openly encouraged.

Several high school students are already registered in hope of obtaining jobs such as these. Anyone who is in need of a part-time or temporary worker and wants to help the young people should call telephone number 471-2731 or visit the state Job Service office at 202 S. Kingshighway.

Weather Review

	High	Low	Rain
Dec. 4	45	27	.00
Dec. 5	51	27	.19
Dec. 6	44	20	.41
Dec. 7	24	10	.00
Dec. 8	32	19	.00
Dec. 9	45	25	.00
Dec. 10	47	28	.46
Rainfall for the week			1.06
Rainfall for the month			1.79
Rainfall for the year			38.78

	'73	'74	'75	'76
Jan.	5.22	5.13	3.10	2.97
Feb.	1.67	1.99	4.69	3.21
Mar.	8.64	3.89	11.01	3.74
Apr.	7.98	5.54	3.68	2.66
May	6.40	4.74	2.47	4.36
June	3.14	2.43	3.40	8.74
July	2.81	1.06	3.55	6.13
Aug.	3.08	4.40	7.18	.52
Sept.	3.01	2.04	4.29	1.07
Oct.	3.36	1.13	2.04	2.83
Nov.	8.19	4.21	3.77	.73
Dec.	5.90	3.97	4.62	
	59.40	40.63	53.80	

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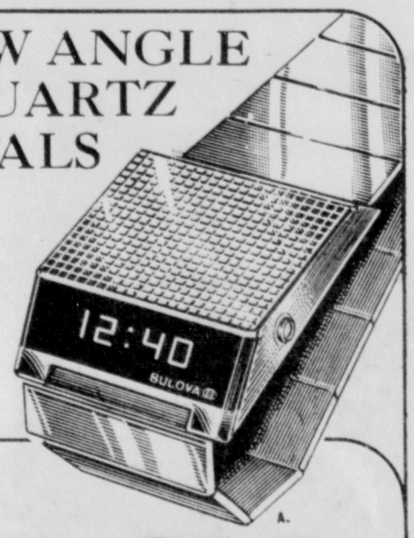

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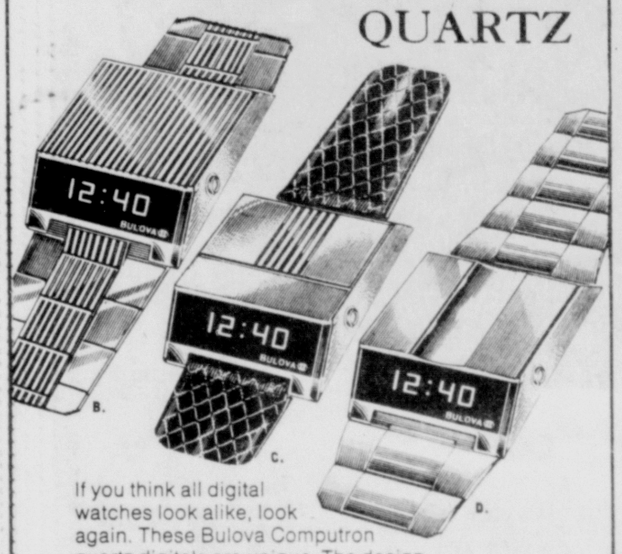

B. C. D.

If you think all digital watches look alike, look again. These Bulova Computron quartz digitals are unique. The design is exciting, modern, crafted like fine jewelry. The name is Bulova, world-renown for dependable precision timekeeping.

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A. Hobnail case design. Stainless steel band. $175. In goldtone finish. $180.
B. Diamond-cut striped case and band. Goldtone finish. $170.
C. Stripe pattern goldtone case. Lizard grain strap. $140.
D. Tri-paneled case and band. Textured goldtone. $160.

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Daily record

HOSPITAL NOTES

DEXTER MEMORIAL

Released:
Carol Fouts and baby, Puxico
Cleo Harmon, Bernie
Homer L. Carroll, Sikeston
Brenda Laffoon and baby, Dudley
Bertha Trask, Dexter
Judy Duley and baby, Dexter
Charles Fritzaus, Malden

CHAFFEE GENERAL

Released:
Leemon Abbott, Cape Girardeau
Phyllis Bone, Sturdivant
John Davis, Mound City, Ill.
Elizabeth Fetter, Chaffee
Rose Masters, Lutesville
Ellen Stearns, Sedgwickville
Ida Stroder, Millersville
Pamela Urhahn, Chaffee
Olen Wilson, Cape Girardeau

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Mildred Bane, Caruthersville
Willie Buchannan, Caruthersville
Cora Storey, Caruthersville
Frances Edwards, Steele
Allene Hayden, Wardell
Charlene Hicks, Steele
Sheila Watson, Hayti
Released:
Cindy Stewart, Caruthersville
Georgia Singleton, Caruthersville
Ernest Robertson, Caruthersville
William Gunter, Caruthersville
Agnes Bechtlofft, Caruthersville
Lula Tompkins, Steele
Karen Godair, Portageville
Truman Kincy, Portageville
Sherry Quick and baby girl, Portageville
Velma Matheney, Kennett
Zachary Jackson, Kennett
Annie Thompson, Hayti
Samuel Johnson, Hayti
Gladys Dowd, Hayti
Mitchell Hogan, Wardell
Harold Davis, Wardell
Eula Milligan, Bragg City
Ludora Downs, Malden
Joseph Davidson, Lilbourn

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:
Mrs. Lawrence Brashear and daughter, Bertrand
Mrs. Luther Friese, Jackson
Mrs. Fred McCann, Charleston
Mrs. Bertha L. Holder, Cape Girardeau
Mrs. Willard E. Talley, Jackson
Melody Warner, Glen Allen
Geri Smith, Jackson
Mrs. Gary W. Rees, Cape Girardeau
Mrs. Carl Bryant, Anna, Ill.
Mrs. Margaret Waldschmidt, Benton
Sylvanis Kinder, Chaffee
Michelle Smith, Bernie
Mrs. George Pitts, Wolf Lake, Ill.
Mrs. V. Wilma Buck, Bloomfield
Mary Lou Caldwell, Cape Girardeau
Henry L. Ayers, Cape Girardeau
William O. Rauch, Scott City
Mrs. Luther O. Weibley, Marble Hill
Theodosius J. Frentzel, Uniontown
Mrs. Ruby L. Ivey, Lutesville
Amy Hoosier, Bertrand
Dana Held, Chaffee
Mrs. Medford L. Taylor, Marble Hill
Mrs. William K. Blake, Malden
Mrs. Jim Winchester, East Prairie
Mrs. Keith Cotner, Cape Girardeau

MISSOURI DELTA

Released:
Marjorie Todd, Sikeston
Debbie Copeland, East Prairie
Grace Layton, Charleston
John Andres, Sikeston
David Keller, Dexter
Nancy Hale, Delta
Betty Richmond, Bloomfield
Winford Oliphant, East Prairie
William McKenney, Bertrand
Sheila Hampton, Sikeston
Sonya Thatch, Parma
Kimberly Parr, Sikeston
Margie Bailey, Charleston
Nena Davidson, Sikeston
Katherine Bryan, Charleston
Cheryl Williams, East Prairie
Christina Lindsey, Sikeston
Surcie Armstrong, Wyatt
Tara Smith, Charleston
Roy Nall, Sikeston
Brent Keith, Lilbourn
Ivy Clayton, New Madrid
Jo Ann Crump and baby boy, Matthews
Raymond Morton, East Prairie
Patricia Jueneman, Sikeston
Mary Parret, Sikeston
Marvin Ralph, Sikeston
Barbara Rehm, Dexter
Udell Gaddis, Sikeston
Nancy Merryman and baby boy, East Prairie
Sheila McKinley, Sikeston
Minty Harris, Bloomfield
Floyd Hockersmith, East Prairie
Peggy Hampton, Dexter
Joe McCarty, Dexter
Kenneth Riddle, Sikeston
Marie Bean, Sikeston

CITY COURT

Gregg Skinner, 125 Thomas Drive, was fined $20, given a suspended 15-day jail sentence and six months on probation for peace disturbance and a $35 fine, 30-day suspended sentence and six months on probation for disorderly conduct during Thursday night's City Court proceedings.

A second peace disturbance charge and a trespassing charge against Skinner were dismissed.

Fines

Stephen C. Hunter, 225 Taylor St., running stop sign, $15; Nancy L. Campbell, 204 W. Wakefield St., speeding, $28; Roy L. Newton, 1723 Oklahoma Ave., speeding, $20; Margaret E. Hatley, 212 Selma St., speeding, $24; Linda K. Hoppe, 103 Oak Drive, speeding, $22; Gaylon D. Couch, 850 Agnes St., speeding, $20; Charles A. Irwin, 709 E. Gladys St., speeding, $22.

Don M. Curtis, Matthews, speeding, $15; James H. Bartholomew, 410 Pam St., speeding, $20; Wyman C. Radford, 853 Agnes St., failing to yield to emergency vehicle, $25; James T. Fones, 501 Clatyton Ave., speeding, $22; Cynthia S. Mangle, Miner, improper U-turn, $15.

Loretta Scally, 111 Fifth St., running stop sign, $35; Connie E. Potts, 951 Cambridge Drive, speeding, $22; Teresa C. Terrell, 313 Benton St., speeding, $24; Ruth L. Bizzell, 306 Powers Drive, speeding, $20; Thomas M. King, 105 Thomas Drive, speeding, $32.

James R. Killion, 173 Presnell Drive, speeding, $22; Joseph W. Myers, 927 Lake St., speeding, $26; Shirley A. Hall, 926 Arlington Road, speeding, $22; Jimmy L. Massey, 809 Ruth St., speeding, $36; Gloral A. Ritch, Gray Ridge, failing to yield right-of-way, $30.

Timothy Bell, 401 Fletcher St., careless and imprudent driving, $25; Dawn M. Baker, 705 N. Kingshighway, speeding, $28; Jeris J. Brown, Vanduser, speeding, $30; June E. Gosnell, 210 Kinder St., speeding, $25; Danny R. Hayden, 1408 Henry St., speeding, $24; Robert E. Isbell, 846 Vernon St., careless and imprudent driving, $35.

Johnnie L. Sisco, Bertrand, driving while intoxicated, $110; Donald Lee Leek, Box 842, public intoxication, $15; Mae L. Lewis, Parma, petit larceny, $35; Shirley Robinson, 302 Sunset Drive, trespassing, $15; Danny D. Nelson, 720 Matthews Ave., speeding, $20; Jasper W. Miller, Charleston, speeding, $24; Belinda J. Underhill, 930 Arlington, speeding, $22.

Royce A. Allock, 911 Arlington, speeding, $26; Ernest Springs Jr., Route One, speeding, $19; Patricia R. Compas, 431 Pam St., speeding, $22; Willard L. Morrison, 443 Coleman St. sepeding, $30; Allen D. Figley, 268 W. Kathleen Ave., traffic light violation, $30; Joyce G. Clemons, 1006 Willow Drive, speeding, $32; and Regina K. Eason, 307 Helen St., speeding, $20

Cases dismissed

Bill Green, 304 Lee St., assault and battery; Jack Bewley, South Bend, Ind., assault and battery, trespassing, petit larceny and destroying private property James Dozier, Miner, peace disturbance; Danny Hayden, 1408 Henry St., peace disturbance and indecent exposure.

Peggy Bone, 411 Illinois Ave., petit larceny; Robert E. Isbell, 846 Vernon St., destroying private property; Ricky Robertson, Route Four, destroying private property and peace disturbance; and William Meints, Puxico, peace disturbance.

Bonds forfeited

Bonds forfeited by failing to appear in court were: Jack W. Bewley, South Bend, Ind., driving while intoxicated, $250, and Charles E. Willis, 225 Alabama St., peace disturbance, $35.

Warrants issued

A warrant was issued for the arrest of Clay F. Graham, Blodgett, for failing to appear in court on two counts of peace disturbance.

Continued to Dec. 16

Freddie Harris, 111 Westgate St., traffic light violation; Danny Freeman, 953 Cambridge Drive, speeding; Fred L. Scherer, 920 Arlington Road, speeding; Ferrell L. Gravil, 421 Harris St., traffic light violation; Kip A. Reischman, Morehouse, traffic light violation; Robert L. Jones, 324 Sunset Drive, speeding; Ruth A. Shelton, 207A Lillian Drive, speeding; Mike Shell, 232 W. Gladys St., assault and battery.

Joe Pugh, 228 Bowman St., displaying a dangerous and deadly weapon and peace disturbance; Bill C. Taylor, 331 S. Scott St., driving while intoxicated; Chester Gary, Charleston, assaulting a police officer; Lillie M. Barnes, 131 Frisco St., petit larceny; Judy Sanders, Bell City, petit larceny; and Linton W. Jacobs, 927 Lake St., public intoxication, carrying a concealed weapon and trespassing.

Continued to Dec. 23

Earl F. Hurt, 811 Matthews Ave., speeding; Willie Hunt, Chicago, driving while intoxicated; Ray Flippo, 815 Gulf St., assault and battery and peace disturbance; and Sharon J. Beck, 109 N. Stoddard St., speeding and failing to stop for red lights and siren.

Continued to Dec. 30

Iverneal Cobb, Matthews, public intoxication.

Continued to Jan. 1

Joseph V. Abernathy, Morehouse, speeding, and Paul R. Stevens, 806 Taylor St., peace disturbance.

Continued to Jan. 13

Edward R. Heacox, Box 1185, driving while intoxicated.

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James E. Brown Sr., 414 Wilson St., driving while intoxicated.

Continued to March 24

Jillian L. Johnson, 927 Crescent Drive, speeding.

Continued to June 16

Randy R. Russell, Dexter, petit larceny.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS

SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Monday
½ pint milk
Spaghetti with meat sauce
Tossed salad
Green beans
Bread and butter
Tuesday
½ pint milk
Chili burger on bun
Cole slaw
Peaches
Chocolate chip cookie
Wednesday
½ pint milk
Fried fish on bun
Buttered potatoes
Blackened peas
Pink applesauce
Thursday
½ pint milk
Wiener on bun
French fries
Pork and beans
Pear half
Friday
½ pint milk
Turkey and gravy
Mashed potatoes
Tossed salad
Strawberry pudding
Hot roll and butter

EAST PRAIRIE SCHOOLS

Monday
½ pint milk
Kraut and wieners or hot dog on bun
Whipped potatoes
Blackeyed peas
Chilled fruit
Corn bread and butter
Tuesday
½ pint milk
Chili con carne or coney island
Cabbage and carrot salad
Half orange
Crackers
Apple cobbler
Wednesday
½ pint milk
Tamale pie or fried fish on bun
Seasoned green lima beans
Slaw with apples and celery
Hot rolls with butter
Banana pudding
Thursday
½ pint milk
Beans and ham or hamburger on bun
Potato chips
Chilled tomatoes
Mixed greens
Cole slaw
Corn bread and butter
Gelatin with fruit
Friday
½ pint milk
Sliced turkey with dressing or barbecued beef on bun
Cranberry sauce
Green beans
Ambrosia
Coconut cake
Hot rolls with butter

CHAFFEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Lunch

Monday
Beef with noodles
Buttered garden peas
Sliced peaches
Chocolate cake with butter icing
Bread and butter
½ pint milk
Tuesday
Deep-fried corn dog
Potato salad
Pork and beans
Strawberry gelatin
Sugar cookie
½ pint milk
Wednesday
Baked turkey with gravy
Corn bread dressing
Seasoned green beans
Cranberry sauce
Hot rolls and butter
½ pint milk
Thursday
Meat loaf with catsup
Buttered whole potatoes
Buttered corn
Spicy peach cobbler
½ pint milk
Friday
Wiener with mustard
Seasoned Great Northern beans
Cabbage slaw with celery, green peppers and onions
White cake with whipped topping and strawberries
Bread and butter
½ pint milk

Breakfast

Monday
Glazed doughnut
Assorted dry cereal
Chilled tomato or orange juice
½ pint milk
Tuesday
Sausage
Milk gravy
Hot biscuit and butter
Chilled juice
½ pint milk
Wednesday
Pancake with maple syrup and butter
Oven-fried bacon
Chilled juices
½ pint milk
Thursday
Hot oatmeal or rice
Buttered oven toast
Chilled juices
½ pint milk
Friday
Golden puff
Assorted dry cereal
Chilled juices
½ pint milk

ORAN SCHOOLS

Monday
Hot dog on bun
Buttered potatoes
Slaw
Peaches
Milk
Tuesday
Macaroni and cheese
Blackeyed peas
Salad
Chocolate cake
Bread and butter
Milk
Wednesday
Meat loaf
Mashed potatoes
Corn
Fruit cobbler
Bread and butter
Milk
Thursday
Hamburger on bun
Potato chips
Pork and beans
Milk
Friday
Turkey pot pie
Slaw
Fruit
Bread and butter
Milk

MATTHEWS UNIT

Monday
½ pint milk
Hamburger on bun
French fries
Pickles and onions
Peach cobbler
Butter
Tuesday
½ pint milk
Beef ravioli
Creamed peas
Applesauce
Brownies
Bread
Butter
Wednesday
½ pint milk
Fried chicken
Country peas
Creamed potatoes
Peach half
Bread
Butter
Thursday
½ pint milk
Chili mac
Green beans
Cole slaw
Coconut pudding
Bread
Butter
Friday
½ pint milk
Ham sandwich
Mixed vegetables
Potato sticks
Gelatin with fruit
Bread and butter

CHARLESTON SCHOOLS

Monday
Foot-long hot dog
Potato chips
Cookie
Fruit
Milk
Tuesday
Chicken-fried steak sandwich
Buttered corn
Green salad
Cake
Fruit
Milk
Wednesday
Chili with crackers
Peanut butter sandwich
Pickle and carrot slices
Fruit
Cookie
Milk
Thursday
Turkey and dressing
Whipped potatoes
Green beans
Hot rolls
Butter
Cranberry sauce
Milk
Friday
Corn dog
Blackeyed peas
Slaw
Cookie
Fruit
Milk

SCOTT CENTRAL SCHOOLS

Monday
Juicy burger on bun
Mixed vegetables
Whole tomatoes
Cinnamon roll
½ pint milk
Tuesday
Chicken-fried steak
Creamed potatoes
Corn
Gelatin and cookies
Bread
½ pint milk
Wednesday
Chili and crackers
½ peanut butter sandwich
Carrot sticks
Fruit
½ pint milk
Thursday
Sloppy joe on bun
French fries
Blackeyed peas
Pie
Bread
½ pint milk
Friday
Barbecued pork steak
Creamed potatoes
Lettuce salad
Fruit
Bread
½ pint milk

KELLY SCHOOLS

Monday
Italian spaghetti
Green beans
Harvard beets
Banana pudding
½ pint milk
Tuesday
Chili or beef stew with crackers
Celery and carrot sticks
Peanut butter sandwich
Apricot pie
½ pint milk
Wednesday
Fried chicken with gravy
Buttered rice
Tossed salad
Gelatin with topping
Brownie
½ pint milk
Thursday
Hamburger on bun
Pickle or onion slices
French fries
Lettuce leaf
Cinnamon roll
½ pint milk
Friday
Deep-fried fish
Great Northern beans
Cole slaw
Pineapple upside down cake
Bread and butter
½ pint milk

FIRE

CHARLESTON— The fire department was called at 8:40 a.m. Saturday to the Joe Morgan home at 809 Helena Street, where a fire in a barbecue grill on the carport had blazed up. Only minor damage was reported from scorched paint on the wall.

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ASC committeemen named in Madrid

NEW MADRID— New Madrid County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committeemen for 11 ASC communities were named Friday following a count of mail ballots by the county ASC committee.

Chairman, vice chairman and member of the newly elected committees will serve as delegates to a county convention scheduled at 10 a.m. Friday in the council room at the New Madrid city hall.

One three-year member will be named to the county committee and a chairman and vice chairman of the county committee for 1977 will be elected.

Results of the election, by communities for the positions of chairman, vice chairman, member, first alternate and second alternate, in order, include:

Anderson--S. E. Mullen, Woodrow Woolverton, Jerry Fisher, Paul McClure and D. E. McGinley.

Big Prairie-- Charles W. Hawkins, Bill Huffstutler, Bruce Depro, Fred Flowers and Wyatt Cobb.

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Miss Harnes will sing solo for 'Messiah'

ADVANCE— A former Advance resident, Miss Sondra Harnes, now of Arlington, Va., will appear as soprano soloist for the production of the "Messiah" by Handel at the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C., today.

Miss Harnes is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Harnes of Advance. She is married to James Selway, and has a 4-year-old son, John.

Miss Harnes is a graduate of Southeast Missouri State University where she studied with Miss Mary Lou Henry. She was awarded a full-tuition scholarship by the Juilliard School, where she studied in the Professional Studies Program with Beverley Peck Johnson. While in New York, she had the opportunity to work with Roger Wahner, Max Rudolf, Jorge Mester, John Wustman and Pierre Bernac.

She has appeared as soloist with the St. Louis, Cincinnnati, and Detroit symphonies. Her most recent performance was soprano soloist with the Arlington Metropolitan Chorus and orchestra on Oct. 24.

In May, she was among 55 singers from around the world who participated in the International Competition at Paris, France. Miss Harnes was one of 10 singers heard in the semifinals, the only American, of 14 entered, to pass the third round.

On Feb. 4, 1977, Miss Harnes will be soloist with the Oratorilo Society of Washington. They will present, "Vespers," by Monteverd.

Quilt winner

Mrs. Bonnie Greer won the bicentennial quilt raffled off by the Sikeston High School senior class. Class officers David Shell, Mark Heeb and Kim Yarbrough are shown presenting the quilt to Mrs. Greer. The class earned a $1,300 profit on the quilt and the money will help finance the annual class trip. Mrs. Greer is a teacher in the health occupations department of the school.

HUD will open Scott City office

BENTON— An office to assist homeowners in applying for housing rehabilitation grants under the Department of Health, Education and Welare will soon open in Scott City.

A public hearing on the grant program, which gives up to $3,500 to homeowners for major improvements, will be held at 7:30 p.m. Monday at City Hall in Scott City.

Meanwhile, the County Court is filing application with HUD for $400,000 to be used for housing rehabilitation in Scott City, Illmo and Benton.

Tanna Parrish of Charleston, who is involved with urban renewal programs there, and who is assisting Scott County with its application, said that the County Court may be the first in the nation to make application for the program.

It was decided that the county will file for the three cities, which have been determined to have the greatest concentration of substandard housing.

Murder trial venue changed to Benton

JACKSON— One of two men accused of first-degree murder in connection with a liquor store robbery in Cape Girardeau Aug. 7 has been granted a change of venue from Cape County to Scott County Circuit Court at Benton.

The change was granted Gregory Starks, 18, of Carbondale, Ill., by Circuit Judge Stanely A. Grimm.

Judge Grimm denied Starks' attorney's request that statements given police concerning the shooting of Lawrence A. Hitt be suppressed.

The other man charged in connection with the shooting at Argo Package Store, Bobby Lee Curry, 24, of Cape Girardeau, is scheduled to reappear in Circuit Court here Jan. 3, for arguments on motions. It is expected he, too, will seek a change of venue.

A charge against a tnird suspect was dismissed following the preliminary hearing.

Carbondale and Cape Girardeau police officers testified at the hearing that Starks and Curry gave police statements confessing to the robbery and shooting.

Santa Claus letters

Dear Santa,

My name is Melissa Dawn Lewis. I live in Marston, Missouri.

I would like you to bring me a "Hush Lil Baby", "Wake up Thumbelina. and anything else you would like to bring.

Don't forget to bring my brother Gary Don something, too. Also remember my cousins Kelly, Amy, Marsha, Jason and Justin

Thak-You,
Melissa Dawn Lewis
Marston, Mo.

Dear Santa,

My name is Josh Watson. I am 3 years old.

Please bring me a train and a Mickey Mouse Record. I have been a good little boy this year. Don't forget my mommy and daddy.

I love you Santa,
Joshua Watson
Sikeston, Mo.

P.S. I will leave cookies and milk on the table for you

Dear Santa Claus,

My name is Tim Gilmore and for Christmas I would like a Weeble's Treehouse, Bop Bag, Mickey Mouse Club, Christopher Huner Sissy Doll, and a bunch of G. I. Joes'.

P.S. Since I can't write very good my friend Chris, (who is in the 9th grade) is writing for me, so please bring Chris and all his friends at J.H. and all my friends something nice.

Love
Tim Gilmore
Sikeston, Mo.

Life in Beirut returns to normal

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Normal life is returning to Beirut after 19 months of Christian-Moslem warfare.

A young couple holding hands on a stroll or a housewife clutching a bunch of vegetables is again a common sight on Damascus Street, a no man's land just a few weeks ago of explosions and sniper fire.

The barricades and guns are gone now. Fallen trees and rubble have been bulldozed aside, but the ugly piles still bear witness to the ferocity of the battles that were fought on the one-mile-long street where the Moslem and Christian sectors of the city merged.

Lebanese police are back directing traffic which crosses freely again between the two sectors. But troops of the Arab peace force search cars and passengers for hidden arms. Pushcarts full of fruits and vegetables now line the curbsides where bodies of war victims once lay for days before they could be recovered.

"I have heard that Moslem and Christian Lebanese who sat out the war in hotels outside the country dined and danced together during the war," said a Moslem taxi driver on Damascus Street.

"We Lebanese hate each other when we are here, but start liking each other when we go abroad. May God curse those who caused the war."

A spirit of sectarian coexistence appears to be returning under a three-week-old ceasefire imposed by a 30,000-member Arab peace force which is mainly Syrian.

Courts are back in operation and they already have sentenced six persons to a jail hastily set up in the cellar of the Justice Ministry and their food is sent in from restaurants.

Among the six was one of the estimated 2,500 convicts who fled when combatants on both sides in the war opened or blew down prison gates.

Judicial authorities say they have a list of the convicts and they are actively sought now by Arab peace troops.

Beirut's international airport, which was closed for most of the war, has become a place of tearful and joyous reunions as Lebanese who fled the fighting return each day by the jet load.

Activity at the airport is picking up with international airlines resuming normal flights to and from Beirut. Passengers pass through customs and security with a minimum of red tape.

The dockyards at the burned seaport, once the busiest in the Middle East, have been cleared of debris and the port's Board of Directors have announced plans to reopen it this month.

Customs offices have been reinstated at border crossings, busy with an estimated half million returning Lebanese who had fled overland to Syria. Customs officials announced they collected the Lebanese pound equivalent of $1.2 million in duties in the first week the border points reopened.

Sidewalk stalls have gone up on Hamra Street with merchandise ranging from antique coins to plastic shoes, while work goes on to rebuild the burned out shops that once made the street Beirut's main shopping area.

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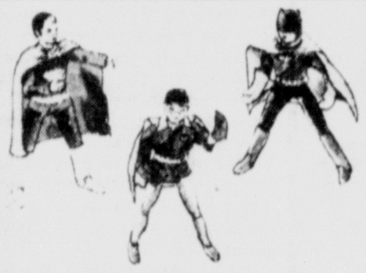
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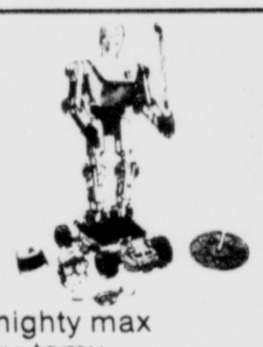
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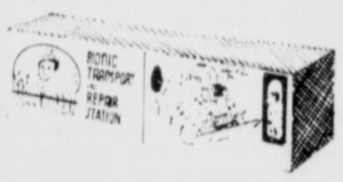

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Dear Santa. . .

Dear Santa,
My name is Angela Dawn Hays. I am 2 years old. And for Christmas I would like a red tricycle, a dolly that cries, and a big Mickey Mouse. And most of all I wish you would make my Aunt Pat well again.
Thank you Santa, I love you.
Angela Dawn Hays
Sikeston, Mo

Dear Santa,
My name is Elizebeth Renia South. I am going on two years old. For Christmas I would like to get some new clothes, a dolly that cries real-tears and wets also a new tricycle , a fluffy stuffed animal and a lot of toys!
Thank you Santa!
I love you and wish you a very Merry Christmas!
Elizebeth Renia South
Morehouse, Mo.
P.S. I'll try to leave some cookies and milk on the table for you!

Dear Santa,
My name is Toshia Long. I am 5 years old. I have been a good girl this year. Would you please bring me a Baby that away, play hospital and a few other things you think I may need. Don't forget my sister Christal and baby brother Davie Jr. Thank you Santa, I'll have cookies and milk waiting for you.
Love you, Santa,
Toshia Long
Parma, Mo.

Dear Santa,
My name is Christal Long. I am 2 years old. I have been real good here lately because I just got potty trained and I'm sure doing a good job. Please bring me Wake Up Thumbilina, Play hospital, also some new clothes. I deserve them. Thank you, Santa.
Love you, Santa,
Christal Long
Parma , Mo.

Dear Santa,
My name is James David Long Jr. This is my first Christmas. I am 7 months old and I am a very good baby boy. I have 4 new teeth. For Christmas I sure would like to have my two front teeth, Busy Bath, Three men in a Tub. Don't forget my big sisters Toshia and Christal. Also my cousin Brian.
Thank you, Santa. My sisters will put milk and cookies under our tree for you.
A little friend,
James David Long Jr.
Parma, Mo.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Shawn Driskill and I'm 2 years old. Santa it's hard for me to be good at my age, but my Mom says I'm good most of the time. For Christmas I would like to have some puzzles, a See N-Say toy, some bath toys, matchbox cars, a Mickey Mouse guitar, building blocks and anything else oyou want to bring me.
Don't forget my Mommy and Daddy and all my cousins and friends.
We'll be at my papa and Grannie Bells house Christmas eve.
Love,
Sawn Driskill
Sikeston, Mo.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Christopher Driskill. I am 7 years old and in the 2nd grade at Matthews grade school, Matthews, Mo.
I have tryed to be a good boy this year and I would like for you to bring me these things.
A U-Drive it, a watch, a flying ace attack ship, a rifle, a cash register, a show-me projector and some clothes. Don't forget my little brother, Shawn who is 2 years old. Bring him lots of nice things. Also remember my little cousin Jennifer and all my friends at school.
Love
Chris Driskill
Matthews, Mo.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Jim Cooksey. I am five years old. For Christmas I want some race cars and a track, a watch, a big wheel with hand brakes, a B.B. gun, the game Ants in the Pants, some new clothes, the game Jaw Breaker, checker set, some story books, a Bugs Bunny Pencil sharpener, a magic "8" ball, Bugs bunny target, a drum set; Putt Putt Speedway, Bugs Bunny Talking Alarm Clock, and a knife. Don't forget my brother and sister.
Your friend
Jim Cooksey
Matthews, Mo.
P.S. We will have a snack waiting for you. I have been a pretty good boy I also want a gumball machine.

Dear Santa,
My name is Carla Cooksey. I am eleven years old. For Christmas Iwould like a tabletop air hockey, the games Jaws, Cat's Eye, Don't Break the Ice, Sleepwalker, Connect Four, and Toss Across. I would also like some steel balancing poles for my unicycle and a Lots-O-Dots, Don't forget all the other little kids in the world. Thank you,
Love,
Carla Cooksey
Matthews, Mo.
P.S. I'll leave you a snack. I also want the game Booby Trap

Dear Santa,
My name is Samantha Crider, and I'm 4 years old. This year for Christmas I would like: A doll, An Etch-a-Sketch, and anything else you would like to give me. Before I say goodby I have a new baby sister named Heather for Christmas you can get her a Raggedy Ann, a play pen, and anything else you would like her to have we will have cookies and milk for you
Love,
Samantha Crider

Sikeston, Mo.
P.S. My Aunt Jeanna is writing this for me. Don't forget Mommy & Daddy and both Grandmas & Grandpas.
P.S. . And especially don't forget Holly, Tammy, and Stacy Landers.

Dear Santa,
I am Ande King, age one, and I live with my Mommy, Daddy, and my Kitty at 420 Lake Street.
For Christmas, would you please bring me the following. A tuneyville Choo-Choo, Cookie Monster from Sesame Street, a Woinnie the Poo, Disney Poppin' Pals and anything else you think I might like.
Please don't forget my Mommy and Daddy, my Grandma and Grandpa (Mr. & Mrs. Calvin Presley), all of my aunts , uncles, cousins, and friends, and last, but not least, my Siamese Kitty named Yod Rak.
Thank you Santa,
Ande King
Sikeston, Mo.
P.S. My mom wrote this for me.

Dear Santa Claus:
My name is Julie Rodgers and I am 1 year old. I have been a very good girl this year. I would like to have the following for Christmas this year: A Holly Hobbie Doll, a telephone, a red wagon, a red velvet dress, some blocks, and anything else you would like to bring me. Please don't forget my Mommy and Daddy, Grandmas, Aunts and Uncles and all my cousins.
Love,
Julie Rodgers
Morley, Mo.

No one is laughing at funney $$

ST. LOUIS (AP) — St. Louis coin dealers predict a rash of activity early next week as collectors seek more of the misprinted $5 bills that showed up at a midtown bank on Friday.

"Something like this always causes people to start searching through their money," said one dealer, "but I personally believe the value of the bills is highly speculative right now."

Four of the bills, which have their serial numbers and the seals of the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis and the U. S. Treasury Department printed upside down, were purchased from a bank teller Friday by Barry Faintich for $100 each.

Faintich, vice president of Midwest Money Co., admitted that the purchases were speculative, but he pointed out that $1 bills with the same defects were found in the Philadelphia area last week and have been selling for $150 each.

"We're going to hold on to our bills," he said. "We're not going to put a dollar price on them until we find out more about it."

All bills are printed in Washington by the Engraving and Printing Bureau and are distributed to the 12 Federal Reserve districts across the country.

A spokesman for the Federal Reserve bank here said he could not say how many of the misprinted bills there may be but that he did not believe the bank would make any effort to locate them.

"Once the money has been distributed to the banks it's pretty well out of our hands," he said.

"Of course money is treated differently because of the security it requires," the spokesman said, "but let's face it—money is mass produced like everything else and mistakes are bound to happen."

"But people will be looking for them," said Faintich. "Because the way the government prints the bills leads us to believe that there are probably at least 100 more of them in the St. Louis area."

Attorneys will defend Gilmore on new charge

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — Attorneys for convicted killer Gary Gilmore, who insisted he wanted no one to appeal his death sentence, say they will vigorously defend him if he stands trial on a second murder charge.

Gilmore, convicted of the July 20 murder of Provo motel clerk Bennie Bushnell, faces a second murder charge in the July 19 shooting death of Orem gas station attendant Max Jensen.

Gilmore's attorney, Ronald Stanger, said Friday the defense would "make the state prove its case" if Gilmore goes on trial again.

Setting of a trial date on the second charge was postponed Friday when Stanger asked 4th District Court Judge George Ballif to allow Gilmore to be in court for all hearings. Ballif said he'd rule on the request Wednesday.

Stanger said he had expected the U.S. Supreme Court to rule Friday on whether it would review Gilmore's death sentence, but no word came from Washington on the court's decision. Gilmore's firing squad execution on the first conviction has been stayed by the Supreme Court at the request of Gilmore's bed-ridden mother, Bessie Gilmore of Milwaukee, Ore.

Gilmore probably will be able to talk to her on the phone during the weekend, said Stanger. Earlier, Gilmore urged her to withdraw her petition to the Supreme Court. He told her he wants his death sentence carried out without lengthy appeals that would force him to spend years of uncertainty in prison.

Santa hears everything

Ryan Kinney, 5, of St. Paul, Minn., explains his request to Santa in sign language at the Minnesota Institute of the Deaf, which offers classes to deaf youngsters.
(AP Wirephoto)

Bulldogs grab third win of year, 70-60

By DALE FORBIS
Daily Standard Sportswriter

Nearly everybody had their moment of glory during the Bulldogs' 70-60 win over the Caruthersville Tigers. But nobody ever received more accolade for a medium accomplishment than 5-8 junior guard Gary Silverthron. All Gary did was hit a free throw and make the final difference ten points — the crowd was on its feet.

What's this, some wondered? Have the youth of Sikeston finally cracked?

Not quite. It seems that a local restaurant had promised the students of SHS a free soft drink each if Sikeston won by ten points. There are other considerations for wins by a greater margin.

As good as the Bulldogs have looked at times this year, those poor folks may go broke. At times during the Bulldog-Tiger game it looked like the promotion - minded eatin' place might end up overstocked with soda.

At times the Friday game with Caruthersville took on the atmosphere of a practice. The crowd of 1500 or so, which would fill high school gyms at Dexter, Jackson or Charleston, got lost in the spacious SHS fieldhouse. The bouncing of the basketball, referees whistles and the shouts of players and coaches were more sharply defined and audible than during the muddle of sound that existed during the Sikeston invitational championship game a week previous. No wonder the players' individual efforts faded from brilliance to lethargy for both sides. No matter that some things lacked aesthetically, the ten-point victory, pleasing to the healthy high school crowd, raised Sikeston's record to 3-1.

The Bulldog big men took turns controlling the boards, each dominating a half of the action, and the Bulldogs were aided by subpar Caruthersville shooting. There were only two thorns in the Bulldog's side, center Don Tyes and 6-4 reserve Jimmie Crane.

When they talk about Tyes' "size," they don't mean his 6-3 stature. The fans who chuckled about the huge athlete's 270-pound physique at the first of the game were silenced as he kept lumbering up and down the court, playing all 32 minutes, and fired in a game-high 17 points. His teammate Crane came off the Tiger bench to score a dozen points, ten in the fourth period. Eight of Crane's points came at the charity line, where Caruthersville held a 20 to eight advantage.

The Bulldog big men, 6-4 Alonzo Harris and 6-6 Paul Gilbow, did not enjoy a great night of shooting. They did, however, make their presence felt on the boards...

Harris was the only Bulldog doing anything on the boards during the first half, grabbing ten errant shots. the Tigers outrebounded their taller hosts,20-15, in the first 16 minutes. The Bulldogs, headed this time by Gilbow, took over the boards in the second half, 19-9.

Paul Gilbow had the kind of first half that ballplayers would rather forget about (but newspapers won't let them). The senior center hit just one of six first half shots with a solitary rebound. He bounced back for ten second half points on six shots, nine rebounds and the season's first slam dunk — a crowd pleaser — on a perfect assist pass from junior Mike Dewitt in the fourth quarter.

"I just couldn't get it to drop," said the senior about his subpar first half shooting. Gilbow came into the game shooting just a shade under 70 per cent from the floor.

Harris led Sikeston scoring for the thirdtime in four starts with 16 points.

The biggest Bulldogs got help from defensive whiz Jeff Limbaugh again. The 6-foot senior came up with six steals and three fastbreak layups among his ten points, as he helped cover up for the absence of usual starter at the other guard spot, Larry Jackson. Jackson played sparingly because of a knee that was injured in the Bulldogs' last game.

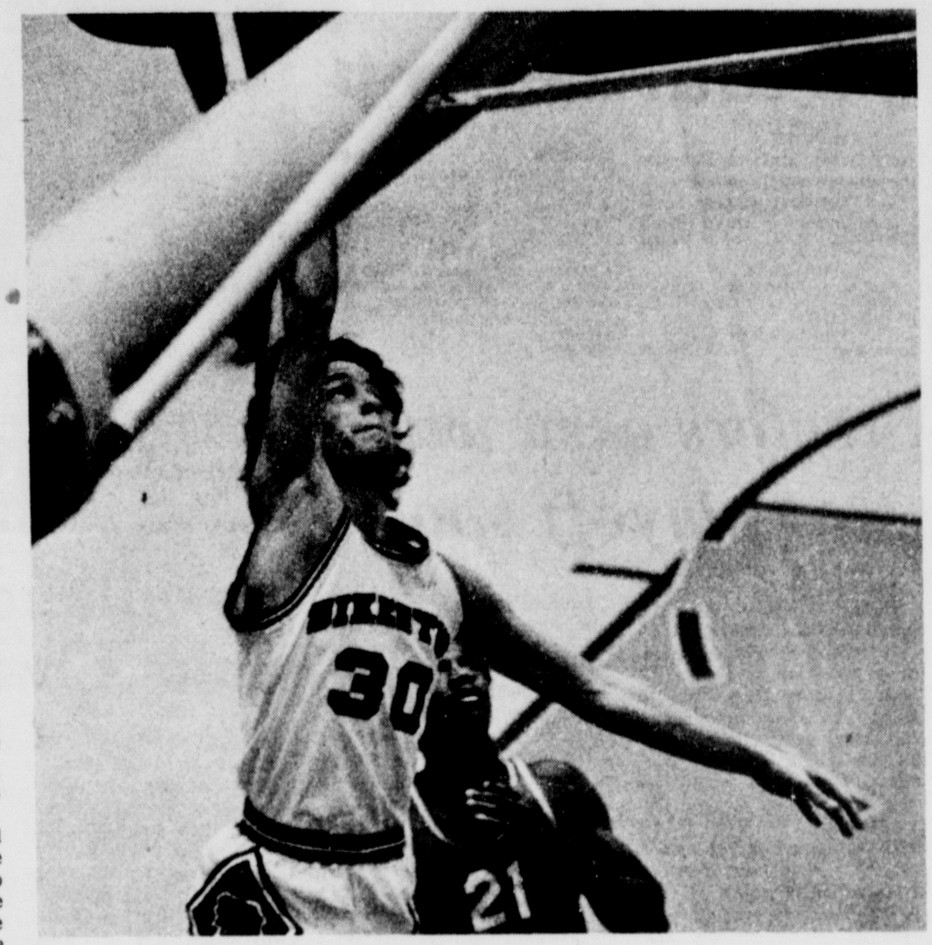
At the "other" forward spot, Kenny Standridge and Tim Ward combined to hit seven of ten shots for 14 points and quard Mike Warfield, Jackson's replacement, had shooting problems but helped immensely on the boards.

The Bulldogs' new look running game enjoyed sporadic success. It was new because the Bulldogs had been using the slowdown, setup offense in the first three games. There were seventurnovers in the first quarter. Things came more naturally after that. Through the last three periods Sikeston made just five turnovers.

The gutty Tigers managed to cling just that much tigher, though, and the lead never exceeded 16.

"We need these three games (against Caruthersville, Fredericktown and Kennett)," said Bulldog coach Bud Spears, "if we are to come into the Bloomfield Christmas Tournament in good shape."

One down, two to go.



Two more

Sikeston guard Jeff Limbaugh scores two of his ten points on a layup after stealing the ball from Caruthersville's Mike Webster. The Bulldogs won their third game of the season Friday night as they downed Caruthersville 70-60 at the SHS Fieldhouse. (Daily Standard photo)

Limbaugh steals show for Dogs

Bulldog guard Jeff Limbaugh is modest about his game-breaking play on defense.

"It's just skill," said the six-footer, trying to hold back a smile. Limbaugh converted at least three steals into fast break layups Friday night and played outstanding game all round as the Bulldogs stopped Caruthersville 70-60.

"Usually Larry plays the point," Limbaugh said, referring to Larry Jackson, who missed much of the game with a knee injury. "But tonight it was me."

Jeff said that instinct has a great deal to do with playing defense. "I try to anticipate the pass. I lay back and let them (the opposition) think they have the pass, then move out when they make it."

Not only did Limbaugh's quickness result in several Sikeston buckets, but it also deprived the Tigers of two points. He ran down big Don Tyes and literally tackled the 6-3, 270-pound giant, ruining his layup attempt.

CARUTHERSVILLE (60)	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	PTS	RB	F	TO
Steve Gubin	1-2	2-2	4	0	2	0
Orlando Owens	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1
Mike Webster	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	2
Troy Cagle	1-2	0-0	2	0	0	1
Danny Webster	2-6	0-0	4	3	1	3
Sam Young	4-16	2-2	10	5	0	4
Rick Agnew	1-7	0-0	2	7	0	3
James Motton	0-0	0-0	0	0	0	1
Jim Crane	2-3	8-10	12	1	2	0
Steve Johnson	3-12	1-2	7	5	2	2
Jim Gunnels	0-2	0-0	0	1	0	0
Chris Mehrle	0-0	2-2	2	0	1	0
Don Tyes	6-10	5-11	17	7	2	4
TOTALS	20-60	20-29	60	29	12	21
SIKESTON (70)	FG-FGA	FT-FTA	PTS	RB	F	TO
Morell Baker	2-4	0-0	4	2	2	1
Mike Dewitt	1-2	2-3	4	0	0	0
Paul Gilbow	5-12	2-2	12	10	2	1
Alonzo Harris	8-18	0-4	16	13	3	3
Larry Jackson	1-6	2-2	4	1	1	1
Jeff Limbaugh	5-9	0-0	10	1	2	1
David Shell	0-4	0-0	0	1	2	0
Gary Silverthorn	1-1	2-2	4	0	1	1
Kenny Standridge	3-4	0-0	6	1	3	1
Tim Ward	4-6	0-0	8	1	2	0
Mike Warfield	1-6	0-0	2	4	2	2
Lester West	0-0	0-0	0	0	1	1
TOTALS	31-72	8-13	70	34	21	12

FG Pct: Sikeston 43.1, Caruthersville 33.3
FT Pct: Sikeston 61-5, Caruthersville 69.0

BY QUARTERS:

Caruthersville	6	14	18	22
Sikeston	12	16	18	24

Ken Reitz comes back to Cardinals in swap with San Francisco

LOS ANGELES-- Ken Reitz, who was traded to the San Francisco Giants almost exactly a year ago for pitcher Pete Falcone, was re-acquired Friday by the St. Louis Cardinals.

To land the popular third baseman, the Cardinals gave up the club's winningest pitcher, righthander Lynn McGlothen.

Reitz, who played the hot corner for the Redbirds for two years before being dealt to the Giants last Dec. 8, batted, .267 for San Francisco this past season. His totals included five homers and 66 runs batted in for the lowly Giants, who were in need of pitching help.

"I'd rather play in St. Louis than anyplace else," said the slick-fielding third-sacker, rated the top defensive performer at his position in the league. "I talked to Vern Rapp (new Cardinal manager), and he said we're gonna have some fun this year."

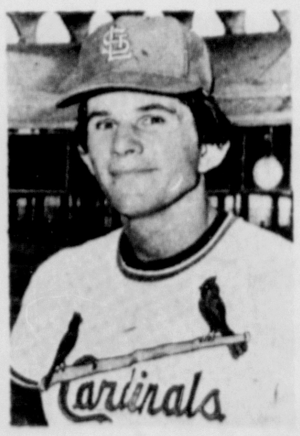
McGlothen won 16, 15 and 13 game for the Cardinals afters coming to the Redbirds from Boston three years ago. But his ERA ballooned from 2.70 in 1974 to 3.91 last season.

The Cardinals had been seeking to trade a starting pitcher after earlier deals had given them an overabundance of hurlers. Since the end of the season, they have acquired John D'Acquisto and Mike Caldwell from the Giants and Larry Dierker from the Houston Astros.

Reitz's return to the Cardinal infield meant that last year's third baseman, Hector Cruz, would probably move to the outfield. "We feel Hector will be a better player in the outfield," said Cardinal General Manager Bing Devine. Cruz will battle it out with Jerry Mumphrey and newcomer Roger Freed for the starting position in right field.

"We hated to give up Reitz a year ago," said Devine about his most recent trade. "We were well aware of his ability and popularity, but we had a desperate need for a lefthanded starting pitcher, and the only way we could obtain Pete Falcone was to include Reitz in the trade."

Earlier Friday the Giants had been close to a deal which would send Reitz to the Pittsburgh Pirates along with relief pitcher Randy Moffitt for Jim Rookie and Richie Zisk. But the Pirates had been hesitant to give up Zisk in the deal.



Ken Reitz

Lynn McGlothen

SCOREBOARD

FRIDAY NIGHT'S RESULTS

Sikeston 70, Caruthersville 60
Kelly 76, Delta 62
Richland 74, East Prairie 40
Dexter 71, Doniphan 70
New Madrid 52, Gideon 49
Woodland 83, Chaffee 71
Bell City 89, Bernie 55
Advance 62, Notre Dame 60
Holcomb 78, Cooter 63
Clearwater 87, Zalma 62
Illmo-Scott City 64, Oran 46
Delta C-7 75, South Pemiscot 50
North Pemiscot 72, Parma 71
Twin Rivers 77, Neelyville 57

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE

Monday

St. Vincents at University High
Delta C-7 at Armorel, Ark.
Dexter at Sikeston (Wrestling)

Tuesday

Sikeston at Perryville (Girls)
University High at Leopold
Bloomfield vs. Twin Rivers at Fisk
Jackson at Woodland
Scott Central at Puxico
Neelyville at Naylor
Matthews at Advance
Bell City at Zalma
Clarkton at Holcomb
Malden at Dexter
Sikeston at Fredericktown
Cape Central at Notre Dame at Houck
Campbell at Bernie
East Prairie at Delta C-7
Charleston at Kelly
Portageville at Risco
New Madrid at Parma
Lilbourn at Poplar Bluff

Thursday

Bloomfield at Richland
Delta at University High
Charleston at Dexter

Friday

Sikeston at Kennett
Oran at New Madrid
Clarkton at Risco
Kelly at Jackson
Fox of Arnold at Cape Central
Oak Ridge at Zalma
Gideon at Matthews
Kelly at Jackson
Perryville at Woodland
Twin Rivers at Greenville
Southland at Senath-Hornersville
Lilbourn at Parma
Neelyville at St. Paul, Ark.
Chaffee at Notre Dame

Rebels use big second half to route Oran

EAST PRAIRIE— Richland used a strong defensive effort in the first half, then bombed in the points in the second half to take a convincing win over the Oran Eagles by a 74-40 score.

The Rebels scored only a dozen points in their first period — a low total for an offensive minded team. However, at the end of the quarter, they led by an even dozen. East Prairie was shut out in their initial frame. According to Eagle oach Dave Bone, "We put it up about ten or twelve times, but it just wouldn't fall."

Richland outscored the Eagles 13-12 in the second quarter, and went into the locker room at halftime leading 25-12.

The third quarter saw the powerful Rebel offense kick into high gear as they tallied a team total of 32 points while holding East Prairie to 12. This put the game out of reach for Richland as they took a commanding 57-24 lead into the final stanza.

The last quarter was even much of the way with Richland outscoring East Prairie 17-16 to make the final 74-40.

The Rebels placed 8 men in the scoring column with Sylvester Patterson leading the way with a 23 point performance. Teammate Glen Cole chipped in with 15 as these two individuals were the only two Rebels to finish in double digits.

Roy Dixon lead the Eagle scorers with 16 points. Dixon, only a junior, drew praise from Coach Bone as one of the few Eagle highlights in an otherwise bad evening. "Roy is just a good kid who is playing steady ball for us this year, and we look to him to have a fine year next year as well." Danny Johnson joined Dixon as the only other Eagle scorer in double figures as he hit for twelve markers.

EAST PRAIRIE (40)
Dixon 16, D. Johnson 12, L. Johnson 6, Owens 2, Petty 2, Robinson 2. Totals: FG-18; FT-4; PF-16.

RICHLAND (74)
Patterson 23, Cole 15, Wilson 8, S. Clark 7, Hicks 8, J. Clark 5, Ledbetter 4, Herrion 2. Totals: FG-31; FT-12; PF-14.

Score by Quarters:

East Prairie	0	12	12	16--40
Richland	12	13	32	17--74

Vikes top Miami

MIAMI (AP) — The Minnesota Vikings stopped Miami with a tremendous first-quarter goal-line stand, then went on to thrash the Dolphins 29-7 behind three Fran Tarkenton to Sammy White touchdown passes to clinch the homefield advantage in next weekend's playoffs.

The Vikings, finishing the regular season with an 11-2-1 record and the National Football Conference's Central Division title, will host the NFC wild-card team—either Washington or St. Louis—next weekend. Washington can grab the wild-card spot by beating Dallas Sunday.

Getting high

Forward Alonzo Harris goes rim-high to pull down a rebound during Friday night's game at the fieldhouse. Harris led the Bulldogs with 16 points and also topped the team in rebounds with 13 as Sikeston defeated Caruthersville 70-60. (Daily standard photo)

Pirates beat Bulldogs

PORTAGEVILLE— The Matthews Pireates tuned up for Tuesday night's big Class A showdown with Advance by downing Portageville 78-58 Friday night in a New Madrid County conference clash. The win kept the Pirates in first place in the league with a 3-0 slate and upped their overall record to 7-1.

Larry Robinson enjoyed his finest shooting night of the season for the Bucs, scoring 25 points to lead a Matthews attack that featured three players in double figures. Gerald Davis fired in 17 and Norman Webb added 16.

Matthews took a 14-9 lead after the first quarter and were in control all the way. The Bulldogs, playing without starters David Ellington and Will Story, got 17 points from Terry Durden, whose shooting kept the game from developing into a complete rout.

Portageville won the junior varsity game 58-34.

The Pirates travel to Advance Tuesday night to take on the Hornets in what could be a preview of this year's opening round game in the Class A State Tournament. The Bucs will be 7-1 going into the game, while Advance sports an 8-1 record.

MATTHEWS (78)
Davis 17, Hart 4, Sexton 7, Cammon 8, Robinson 25, Webb 16, Friend 1. Totals: FG-28; Ft-22; PF-13.

PORTAGEVILLE (58)
Durden 17, Ray 6, Jones 8, Bruner 10, Edwards 2, Taylor 11, Ivie 2, Banks 2. Totals: FG-24; FT-10; PF-20.

Score by Quarters:

Matthews	14	17	19	28--78
Portageville	9	11	16	22--58

Two playoff spots are up for grabs

AP Sports Writer

Pick a card.

There's only two left, National Football League-wise, and both are wild.

The Washington Redskins and St. Louis Cardinals are fighting for the National Conference wild card. Over in the American Conference, Baltimore and New England are doing similar battle, with one major difference.

In the NFC, whichever team gets the card also gets a playoff berth while the other team says farewell to its 1976 playing time. In the AFC, the winner, in effect, comes up a loser. That is, whichever team gets the wild card is the one which failed to wind up with the East Division title. Both the Colts and Patriots have already been guaranteed a playoff berth.

Of all four teams, Washington undoubtedly has the toughest task. The Redskins are playing in Dallas. The Cowboys, at 11-2 are the winningest team in the NFC. The other three play losers—St. Louis at the New York Giants, Baltimore hosting Buffalo and New England at Tampa Bay.

In Sunday's other games it's Cincinnati at the New York Jets, Cleveland at Kansas City, Seattle at Philadelphia, Green Bay at Atlanta, Denver at Chicago, San Francisco at New Orleans and San Diego at Oakland.

On Saturday it was Pittsburgh at Houston, Minnesota at Miami and Los Angeles at Detroit.

Dallas safety Cliff Harris finds himself in a quandry over Sunday's game.

Sikeston jayvees win

The Sikeston Bulldog junior varsity overcame a bout with first-game nervousness and came from behind to grab a 55-49 victory over Caruthersville in coach Mike Foster's first game as jayvee coach.

The 1976-77 Pups are small, but quick. They used that quickness to force Caruthersville into numerous turnovers during the second half. With only one starter over six feet tall, the Sikeston team depended on good outside shooting and jumping ability by Sam Warfield and Jay Kruger to hold even on the boards.

Standout sophomore guard Wilbur Redd led Sikeston scorers with 18 points. Kruger wasn't far behind at 15 and Jay Cox added 11.

The Bulldogs started reasonably well, but fell behind by the first quarter's end, 13-12.

By half, Caruthersville led by eight, 31-23. A third period rush cut the margin in half, but the Bulldogs never assumed the lead until six minutes were left.

After Sikeston led 44-43, the visitors went ahead one final time, but the SHS jayvee wasn't to be denied.

Scott's 12 points led Caruthersville.

SIKESTON (55)
Warfield 5, Kruger 15, Young 6, Cox 11, Redd 18. Totals: FG-23; FT-9; PF-14.

CARUTHERSVILLE (49)
Dawson 10, Dinwoodie 7, Isom 8, Ross 6, Scott 12, Simmons 4, Davis 2. Toals: FG-21; FT-7; PF-16.

Score by Quarters:

Sikeston	12	11	16	16	--55
Caruthersville	13	18	12	6	--49

Southland wins JV tournament

CAMPBELL -- Southland outscored Campbell 28-18 over the middle two periods and went on to defeat the hosts 42-40 to win the championship of the Campbell Invitational B Team Tournament Saturday night.

Gary Blankenship scored 16 and Doug Phelps added 14 points for the winners, who trailed 14-8 after the first period but battled back. Kevin Blume fired in 18 and Allen Cecil scored 14 for the Camels. Campbell did not make a freethrow in the game, while Southland sank two.

Senath-Hornersville won the consolation game with a 56-37 victory over Malden. Bibbs led the winners with 19 points.

SOUTHLAND (42)
Doug Phelps 14, Conrad 6, Gary Blankenship 16, Zolman 6. Totals: FG-20; FT-2; PF-4.

CAMPBELL (40)
Blume 18, Allen Cecil 14, Cunningham 2, Davis 6. Totals: FG-20; FT-0; PF-12.

Score by Quarters:

Southland	8	13	15	6	--42
Campbell	14	8	10	8	--40

SENATH H'VILLE (56)
M. Moore 11, Bibbs 19, D. Moore 4, Branum 4, Brooks 2, Hollifield 4, Jones 12. Totals: FG-23; FT-10; PF-16.

MALDEN (37)
Massey 5, French 10, Polen 11, Austin 4, Hollis 6, R. McDonald 1. Totals: FG-15; FT-7; PF-16.

Score by Quarters:

Senath	12	18	11	15	--56
Malden	9	12	10	6	--37

SHS Junior Varsity

The Sikeston Bulldogs junior varsity team opened its season Friday night with a 55-49 win over Caruthersville. Team members are: (first row, left to right) manager Mark Ivie, Jeff Young, Jay Cox, Wilbur Redd, Steve Burgess, Brent Keefer, Kerry Standridge and Chris Launis. (second row, left to right) junior varsity coach Mike Foster, Tom Statler, Sam Warfield, Rick Davis, Mike White, Garland Beaudean, Dwight Mills, Mike Harris, Jay Kruger and varsity coach Bud Spears.

Kelly zone press works vs. Delta

DELTA— The Kelly Hawks defeated the Delta Bobcats Friday night thanks largely to a defensive ploy that coach Nick Lanpher seldom uses — a zone press. Kelly used the press to great advantage during the third quarter of action to help the Hawks to a 76-62 victory.

After the first half, Delta led 35-34 and appeared to be primed for the upset; however, in the third quarter, Kelly came out of the locker room and went into a full court zone press. The press bothered Delta and Kelly came away with a 27-6 advantage in that third querter. With the 20 point lead, Kelly easily held off Delta in the final stanza to preserve the win.

Randy Hagar, the 6'-5" center for Kelly used his height advantage to score 25 points to lead all scorers in the game. Bob Pittman and Bob Dittlinger tallied 11 points each. Teammate Dave Robert had an even dozen.

Only two Bobcats hit double figures with Dave Duncan leading the way with 16 markers.

KELLY (76)
Hagar 25, Dittlinger 11, Pittman 11, Felter 8, Robert 12 Mothershead 4, Riley 1, D. Beggs 1, S. Beggs 2. Totals: FG-30; FT-16; PF-25.

DELTA (62)
Carnell 10, Duncan 16, Huffman 10, Snider 5, Bucher 9, Brown 8, Kelly 4. Totals: FG-24; FT-14; PF-20.

Score by Quarters:

Kelly	15	19	27	15	--76
Delta	21	14	6	19	--62

Steelers earn wild card playoff spot

HOUSTON (AP) — The Pittsburgh Steelers, ignited by Terry Bradshaw's 21-yard touchdown pass to Lynn Swann, defeated Houston 21-0 Saturday to climax a nine-game winning streak that returns them to the National Football League playoffs and a chance for an unprecedented third straight Super Bowl title.

Pittsburgh, which lost four of its first five games, clinched the American Football Conference's Central Division title with the victory and will face either Baltimore or New England in the first round of the playoffs.

Bradshaw, starting for the first time in three games, hit Swann between two Oiler defenders at the Houston one-yard line and Swann dipped into the end zone with 2:59 left in the first half.

The Steelers drove 79 yards on 10 carries in the fourth quarter, with Bradshaw diving the final yard to end the Oiler season with a 5-9 record. Pittsburgh finished the regular season at 10-4.

Pittsburgh's Rocky Bleier and Harris each went over 100 yards in the game. Each runner rushed for more than 1,000 for the season.

Woodland balance sinks Chaffee

LUTESVILLE— The Woodland Cardinals used a balanced scoring attack and built up an 11 point advantage at halftime, then went on to defeat the Chaffee Red Devils, 83-71.

High scores for Woodland were Dave VanGennip and Mike Moyers, who both hit 18. Jeff Wyatt contributed 15, Rusty Barker had 13, and teammate Frank Ledbetter hit for 10, to round out the double figure scorers for the Cardinals.

Lindy Duncan led all scorers with an outstanding performance as he hit for 29 points. He was joined in double figures by two other Red Devils.

It was a cold shooting second period that greatly handicapped the Red Devils as Woodland outscored Chaffee in that quarter, 21-11. The rest of the game was a two point difference.

Chaffee opened the evening of basketball by taking a 50-38 win in the jayvee match.

Woodland (83)
Moyers 18, Wyatt 15, Dave VanGennip 18, Rusty Barker 13, Ledbetter 10, Mondy 7, Almon 2. Totals: FG-32; FT-19; PF-19.

CHAFFEE (71)
Lindy Duncan 29, Groves 3, Kiefer 6, Meyr 14, Fowler 8, Wachter 11. Totals: FG-28; FT-15; PF-22.

Score by Quarters:

Woodland	18	21	22	22	--83
Chaffee	17	11	20	23	--71

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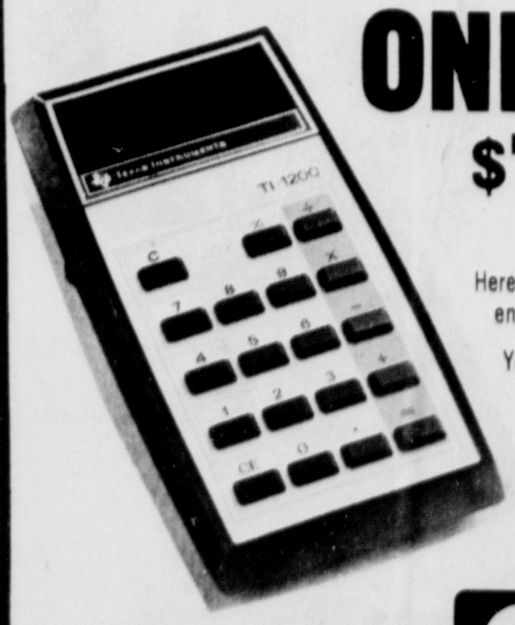

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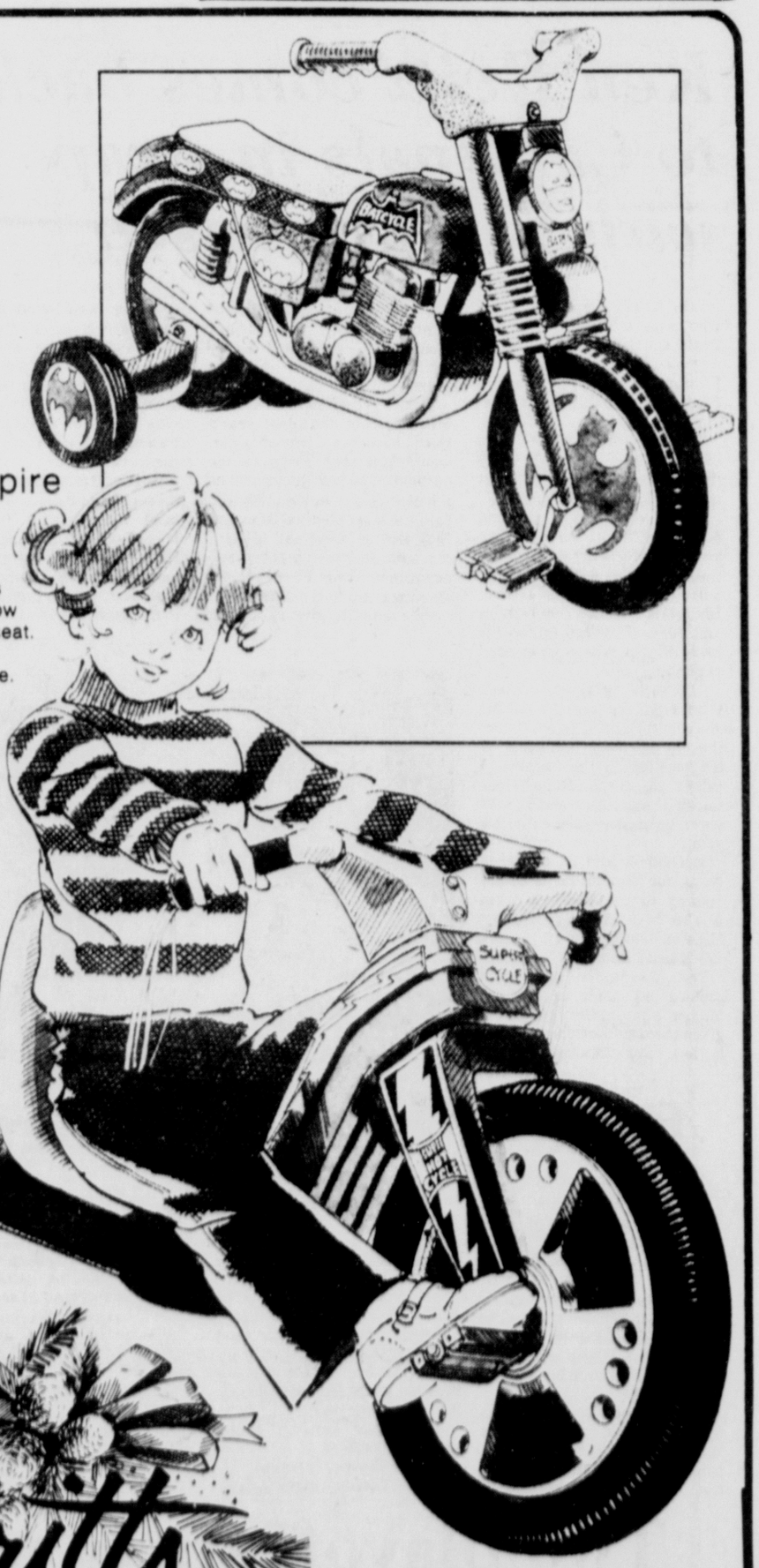

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Realignment proposal biggest result of talks

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Baseball's week-long winter meetings produced only sporadic trading action but did set in motion a scenario that could radically alter the look of the game within the next two years.

Under serious consideration are proposals that would create three divisions in each of the two leagues, an arrangement that would mirror the one used by the National Football League. The playoffs then would include the winners of each division plus a wild card team, creating an elimination-type tournament to produce the World Series opponents.

The meetings also almost certainly assured the return of major league baseball to Washington, D.C. through one of several methods. Baseball would lead you to believe that it prefers a plan whereby the Baltimore Orioles would play a portion of their games in the nations's capital. But that idea has been kicking around for some time and is unlikely to be the final solution to the Washington dilemma.

That's why there are two contingency plans available. Both involve the National League where any new Washington team will wind up. One agrees in principle to the transfer of an existing NL franchise to Washington and, if that does not materialize, the other clears the way for an American League team to switch to the NL and move into the nation's capital.

A switch of a team from one league to another would be unprecedented in modern baseball and if it happens, it also would create two 13-team leagues and inter-league play, another radical departure from tradition.

But tradition doesn't seem to matter as much today in baseball as it once did. The development of the free agent escape hatch has left players as virtual transients, free to move elsewhere.

Oakland owner Charles O. Finley, who lost six of his best players through that route, shook up the convention by divulging the contract terms their new clubs had given ex-A's Joe Rudi, Don Baylor, Sal Bando, Bert Campaneris, Gene Tenace and Rollie Fingers. The numbers added up to an awesome $9.2 million.

There were 14 deals involving 40 players completed at the meetings. And every time a deal was made, one of the first questions asked was whether the participants are signed for next season. Even when they were, that didn't guarantee delivery.

There was, for example, the strange George Scott affair.

Traded by Milwaukee along with outfielder Bernie Carbo to Boston in exchange for first baseman Cecil Cooper, Scott balked at the deal, demanding that the Red Sox renegotiate his contract. He had already signed for 1977.

The Sox were willing to renegotiate, but Scott's agent, Gary Walker, told them he would recommend that the slugging first baseman reject their final offer. At that point, it seemed, the deal would be voided. But then Scott ignored his agent's advice and agreed to terms. Does Waker still get 10 per cent in that case?

For Scott and Carbo, the trade meant a return to Boston. Two other deals also restored players to their former teams. Veteran designated hitter Rico Carty returned to Cleveland in a swap that sent catcher Rick Cerone and utilityman John Lowenstein to the expansion Toronto Blue Jays, and third baseman Ken Reitz, traded from St. Louis to San Francisco at these meetings a year ago, returned to the Cardinals in a deal that brought right-hander Lynn McGlothen to the Giants.

Some to the week's other signigicant trades included:

—Atlanta acquiring outfielder Jeff Burroughs, a former American League Most Valuable Player, from Texas for outfielders Ken Henderson and Dave May, pitchers Carl Morton, Roger Moret and Adrian Devine and an undisclosed amount of cash.

—San Diego getting outfielder George Hendrick from Cleveland for outfielder John Grubb, catcher Fred Kendall and shortstop Hector Torres.

—Pittsburgh obtaining reliever Grant Jackson from Seattle for infielders Craig Reynolds and Jimmy Sexton.

—Kansas City trading infielder Jamie Quirk, outfielder Jim Wohlford and a player to be named later to Milwaukee for pitcher Jim Colborn and catcher Darrell Porter.

Some clubs tried to deal right up until the Friday midnight PST deadline. Pittsburgh spent most of the night in the lobby and finally swung one of the week's biggest trades, acquiring pitchers Rich Gossage and Terry Forster from the Chicago White Sox in exchange for outfielder Richie Zisk and minor league pitcher Silvio Martinez.

Some teams tried, but missed. The New York Yankees, who came here searching for a shortstop were talking right to the end before leaving without any new faces.

Sportsman's Calendar

6. SPORTSMAN'S CALENDAR

	OPENS	CLOSES	BAG LIMIT (Daily-Possession)
	HUNTING		
Groundhogs, Coyotes	Now Open	No Closed Season	Unlimited
Squirrels	Now Open	Dec. 31	6-12
Rabbits	Now Open	Feb. 15	6-12
Deer (Archery)	Now Open	Dec. 31	1/Season
Ducks	Dec. 26	Jan. 3	Point System
Geese	Now Open	Varies	See Regulations
Quail	Now Open	Jan. 15	8-16
Crows	Now Open	March 13	No Limit
Pheasants (In Legal Areas)	Now Open	Dec. 31	1-2 (Male)
	FISHING		
Impoundments (All Species)	Now Open	No Closed Season	See Wildlife Code
Ozark Streams (Largemouth, Smallmouth, Spotted Bass)	Now Open	Feb. 28	See Wildlife Code
Trout Management Areas (Stamp Required)	Now Open	No Closed Season	See Wildlife Code
Walleye & Sauger	See Wildlife Code	See Wildlife Code	See Wildlife Code
Trout Parks	March 1	Now Closed	5-10
Non-Game Fish (Snagging, Snaring, etc.)	Now Open	Dec. 31	See Wildlife Code
Paddlefish (Snagging)	Now Open	Dec. 31	2-2
Bennett Springs (Weekends)	Now Open	Feb. 20	Fish For Fun

Hornets slip past Notre Dame 62-60

ADVANCE— Advance held off a fourth-quarter surge by Notre Dame of Cape Girardeau to take a 62-60 win over the Bulldogs Friday night.

The Hornets, who ran their record to 8-1, led by 11 points in the third quarter, but allowed Notre Dame to battle back in the fourth period with 23 points. The Bulldogs never led, and the two-point deficit they faced at the end of the game aws their smallest since the first quarter.

Advance got a 20-point performance from senior forward Steve Vavak, while junior Mark "Stick" Robins added 19. Ed Goodson topped the Bulldogs with 20 points, while Steve Fels added 12 and Rick Dohogne 10.

Advance meets Matthews in a big Class A battle Tuesday night at Advance.

ADVANCE (62)
Vavak 20, Robins 19, Daniels 4, Wheatley 4, Dunnivan 6, Tidwell 9. Totals: FG-23; FT-16; PF-14.

NOTRE AME (60)
Blattell 7, Dohogne 10, Fels 12, VanWeelden 2, Goodson 20, Meystedt 1, Welter 8. Totals: FG-25; FT-10; PF-19.

Score by Quarters:

Advance	14	12	19	17	-62
Notre Dame	11	7	19	23	-60

Irish top UCLA

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Freshman Rich Branning scored four points in the last 45 seconds to lead seventh-ranked Notre Dame to an upset 66-63 college basketball victory over the third-ranked UCLA Bruins at Pauley Pavilion Saturday.

UCLA did not score during the last six minutes of the game, holding a 63-60 lead at that point.

The Bruins went into a stall offense with 2:17 remaining when David Greenwood was fouled by Dave Batton.

Greenwood missed the first of a one-and-one foul situation. Notre Dame recovered the rebound and Branning drove around Bruin guard Brad Holland for a layup, giving Notre Dame the lead, 64-63, with 45 seconds remaining.

Area prep scores

ZALMA (62)
Burchett 21, Simmers 11, Barrett 5, West 20, Lineberry 7. TOTALS: FG-20; FT-22; PF-18.

CLEARWATER (87)
Leuddecke 30, Brown 4, Kesinger 6, Waites 26, Evans 12, Parker 3, Haggett 2, Kaiser 2, Atnip 2. TOTALS: FG-37; FT-13; PF-28.

Score by Quarters:

Zalma	3	19	20	20	62
Clearwater	17	14	21	35	87

HAYTI (48)
Calley 17, Hunt 9, Robinson 9, Barringer 8, Smith 4, Maxwell 1. TOTALS: FG-20; FT-8; PF-8.

ARMOREL, ARK. (47)
Lewis 20, Stringer 10, Fisher 8, Sanders 5, Garrison 2, Blair 2. TOTALS: FG-22; FT-3; PF-8.

Score by Quarters:

Hayti	7	15	18	8	48
Armorel	8	19	10	10	47

BELL CITY (89)
Mosily 2, Weeks 12, Watkins 12, Surface 4, Niemcyk 35, Byrd 13, Kinder 3, Henry 1, Austin 4, Jackson 2. TOTALS: FG-37; FT-15; PF-29

BERNIE (55)
Pointer 5, Walker 4, Carson 19, White 5, Slinkard 8, Macklin 11, Walker 3. TOTALS: FG-17; FT-20; PF-23.

Score by Quarters:

Bell City	14	23	31	21	89
Bernie	9	15	12	19	55

DELTA C-7 (75)
Rose 20, Ward 12, T. Mead 21, Riley 4, Bryant 2, Tidwell 8, W. Mead 2, Jackson 6. TOTALS: FG-29; FT-17; PF-19.

SOUTH PEMISCOT (50)
Driskill 4, Spencer 14, C. Jones 6, Woody 6, J. Jones 8, Prody 12. TOTALS: FG-19; FT-12; PF-15.

Score by Quarters:

Delta C-7	24	17	16	17	75
S. Pemsicot	12	14	14	10	50

DEXTER (71)
Dowdy 10, Miller 38, Espey 13, Cox 4, Williams 6. TOTALS: FG-32; FT-6; PF-12.

DONIPHAN (70)
Hunt 6, Thompson 17, Murray 26, Spell 2, Johnson 8, Brumitt 9, Chambers 2 TOTALS: FG-29; FT-12; PF-16.

Score by Quarters:

Dexter	20	13	18	20	71
Doniphan	20	23	16	11	70

ILLMO-SCOTT CITY (64)
Springs 6, Littlepage 5, Heuring 9, Campbell 6, Amos 18, Miller 9, Diebold 6, McMillan 4, Cotner 1. TOTALS: FG-29; FT-6; PF-17.

ORAN (46)
Burlison 3, Wilson 15, Walter 7, R. Friga 2, Hamm 4, Effink 11, Sauceda 2, M. Friga 2. TOTALS: FG-17; FT-12; PF-214.

Score by Quarters:

I-SC	17	15	18	14	64
Oran	10	9	10	17	46

NORTH PEMISCOT (72)
Jennings 18, Ball 9, Wilson 11, Parchell 2, Walls 16, McHugh 10, Dunbar 2, Nowell 2, Lee 2. TOTALS: FG-29; FT-14; PF-27.

PARMA (71)
Beard 13, Matlock 1, Payne 3, Perkins 9, Thatch 18, Wright 25, De. Thatch 2. TOTALS: FG-27; FT-17; PF-28.

Score by Quarters:

N. P.	18	22	12	20	72
Parma	18	21	10	22	71

HOLCOMB (78)
Burr 16, Meadows 13, Jarrett 19, Scott 12, Murdock 4, Bulla 14 TOTALS: FG-28; FT-22; PF-21.

COOTER (63)
D. Jones 20, Paty 9, B. Jones 11, Barger 3, Burton 14, Jernigan 2, Morris 5. TOTALS: FG-24; FT-15; PF-18.

Score by Quarters:

Holcomb	18	25	16	19	78
Cooter	12	17	16	18	63

New Madrid wins from foul stripe

GIDEON— The Gideon Bulldogs outscored the New Madrid Indians, 46-40, from the floor Friday night, but was outscored 12-3 from the charity stripe as the Indians won a hard-fought New Madrid County Conference contest from the Bulldogs, 52'49.

New Madrid was whistled for 11 personal fouls while Gideon was called for 28. This difference prompted Gideon coach Gerald Murphy to say, "I can't understand how a team that plays the aggressive man-to-man defense, like New Madrid, can commit 17 fewer fouls than their opponent."

Actually, it could have been worse, as the Indians could only take advantage of their opportunity by hitting a dismal 12-31 free throws for a 39 per cent accuracy raging.

The Indians built up a 30-20 halftime lead only to see the host Bulldogs come storming back in the second half to make the contest close.

Lee Hunter, a 6'-0" forward led the Indians in scoring with a 21 point performance and teammate Chris Tanner chipped in 14.

Jeff Berry had 18 to lead the Bulldogs who only placed one other starter in double figures.

NEW MADRID (52)
Gist 2, Hunter 21, Robinson 9, Tanner 14, Humphrey 6. Totals: FG-20; FT-12; PF-11.

GIDEON (49)
Hart 4, Jeff Berry 18, Winston 7, Campbell 10, Nettles 8, Hicks 2. Totals; FG-23; FT-3; PF-28.

Score by Quarters:

N. Madrid	12	18	11	11	-52
Gideon	8	12	12	17	-49

Twin Rivers wins OFC Tournament

NAYLOR— The Twin Rivers Royals behind the 29 point effort of Mark Lance outscored Neelyville in every quarter except the fourth, but by then the outcome was decided, to take the championship in the finals of the Ozark Foothills Conference Tournament, 77-57.

Lance had a fine supporting cast as three teammates joined him in the double digit column.

Neelyville trailed by 17 at the end of the first half and were never in the game in the second half. The Tigers placed three men in double figures.

Lance came into the game Friday night averaging close to 29 points a contest and he continued his high scoring on the season as he clipped the nets right at that average.

The championship contest in jayvee action as won by Naylor as they beat the Twin Rivers Royals, 51-49, in a close contest.

TWIN RIVERS (77)
Lance 29, Kennedy 6, Knodell 14, Nelson 10, Janes 6, Moffitt 12. Totals: FG-37; FT-3; PF-22.

NEELYVILLE (57)
Jones 8, Patty 12, Boyan 14, Hill 8, Parrish 2, Robinson 13. Totals: FG-23; FT-11; PF-10.

Score by Quarters:

Tw. Rivers	18	21	16	20	-77
Neelyville	12	11	13	21	-57

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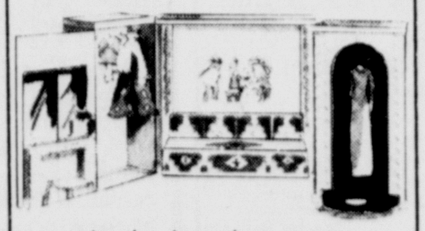

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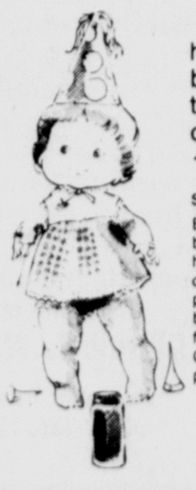

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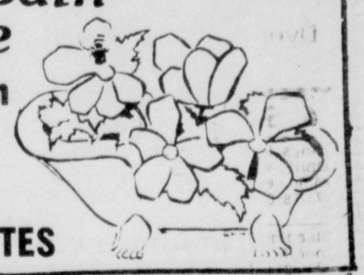

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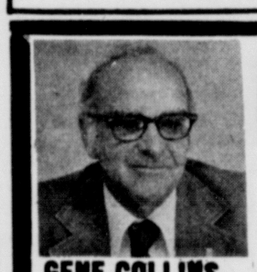

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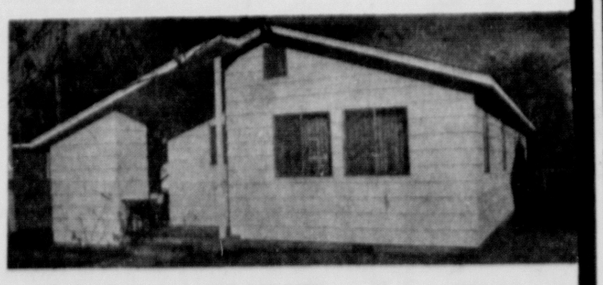

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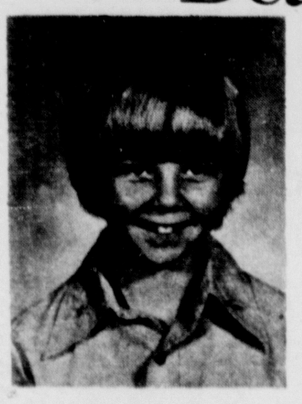

Darin Andrew

MATTHEWS — Darin Andrew, 11-year- old son of Charles and Lois Sifford Andrew, died at noon Friday in St. Jude Hospital and Medical Research Center in Memphis, Tenn.

He was born June 3, 1965 in Cape Girardeau, and was a sixth-grade pupil in Matthews Elementary School at Matthews.

Physicians at St. Jude Hospital had diagnosed his illness as acute aplastic anemia, for which there is no known successful treatment or cure. He had been undergoing treatment, both as an in-patient and out-patient since the illness was diagnosed on Aug. 26. During those intervals when he was able to be at home, he attempted to attend his sixth-grade classes regularly.

In addition to his parents, he is survived by one brother, David Andrew of Matthews and a maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ed Sifford of Bloomfield.

Friends may call at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel in Sikeston where services will be conducted at 2 p.m. today with the revs. Doug Milliron, pastor of the Matthews Christian Church and Robert Cates of Milan, Tenn. officiating.

Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery.

Pallbearers will be Jimmy Parker, Mitchell Vann, Timmy Daniels, David Vaughn, Steve DeWitt and Doug Scott.

Ivan M. Hess

CHARLESTON — Pallbearers at services conducted Friday for Ivan M. "Tommy" Hess, 46, who died Wednesday, were Phil Atteberry, William Kobler, Jim Moran, Leather Black, Leslie Fox and Rex Rister.

Beverly Hale

EAST PRAIRIE — Pallbearers at services conducted Saturday for Beverly Hale, 79, who died Thursday, were Randall Webb, Frankie Tatum, Warren Carpenter, David Webb, Steve Beckman and Floyd Bement.

Florence Hambrick

BERTRAND— Mrs. Florence M. Hambrick, 73, died at 12:30 p.m. Saturday in Bertrand Nursing Home where she had lived for the past four months.

She was born Aug. 31, 1903 in Harlem, Ga. to the late Robert and Nellie Young McBurney.

Her husband, Harry R. Hambrick Sr. died May 2, 1970.

Survivors include two sons: Harry Hambrick Jr. and Robert Hambrick of Sikeston; one daughter, Mrs. William H. (Virginia Ruth) Dozier of Fort Wayne, Ind.; two brothers, L. W. and Dykins McBurney of Augusta, Ga.; three sisters, Louise Cummings, Evelyn Baggett and Lura Bunch of Augusta; and seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 4 p.m. today at Crews-Welsh Funeral Home where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Monday with the Rev. Paul Walker, pastor of First Christian Church, officiating.

Burial will be in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Mary Hannah Morse

ESSEX— Mrs. Mary Hannah Morse, 70, was dead on arrival Thursday at Dexter Memorial Hospital.

She was born Dec. 19, 1905 in Saline County, Ill., and had lived in Stoddard County for a number of years.

On July 9, 1936 at Rombauer she married Charles Morse, who survives.

Other survivors include: one son, Charles Edward Morse of Flint, Mich.; three daughters, Mrs. Bertha Chafey of Tulsa, Okla., Mrs. Beulah McCain of Pine Bluff, Ark. and Mrs. Betty Piper of Metropolis, Ill.; two stepsons, Edgar Morse of Seattle, Wash. and Joe Morse of Flint; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Irene Page of Winona and Mrs. Beulah Fair of St. Louis; and five grandchildren, 10 step-grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Services were conducted at 11 a.m. Saturday at Rainey Funeral Home in Dexter.

Burial followed in the Essex Cemetery.

Adding machine stolen at clinic

NEW MADRID — An adding machine was stolen sometime Thursday night or Friday morning in a breakin at Delta Veterinary Clinic on Highway 61 one mile south of Sikeston and a rural Portageville man reported that assorted tools and an undetermined amount of gasoline had been stolen from the bed of his pickup truck Thursday night, the New Madrid County Sheriff's Department reported Saturday.

The Veterinary building had been entered by prying open a back door.

Melvin Graham of Route Two said assorted tools and an unknown quantity of gasoline in a shortage tank on his truck were stolen while the truck was parked at his home.

RICHMOND, Va. (AP) — A sculpture by American artist Isamu Noguchi has recently been acquired by the Virginia Museum. The sculpture, "Open Lock," was completed in 1964. It is made of polished stainless steel and stands nearly three feet tall.

Entering Florida

Following a snow fall Mr. and Mrs. Danny Howland and son, Shayne, 6, ride this 1812 cutter along the road near Florida, Mass., sign. The Howland's found the cutter stored in an old barn in Keene, N.H. (AP Wirephoto)

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had not talked with authorities about the planned killing because she loved Holt.

She denied pressuring Holt for a divorce or to kill his deeply religious wife, adding that she tried to call Jackson Nov. 23 at the Holt home to stop the killing.

When she couldn't reach her cousin, "I prayed," Miss McAllister testified.

Jackson contradicted her testimony about the telephone call just before the killing, saying, "I can't remember her (Miss McAllister) saying anything but 'Don't miss.'"

He acknowledged not answering a second phone call to the home while waiting for Mrs. Holt.

Jackson described how Holt had picked him up the night of the shooting and took him to his (Holt's) home, with the grocer showing him what to do and describing his wife's routine on entering the house.

Jackson said he grew scared waiting for Mrs. Holt and, after she entered, "I started to jump out and tell her the whole thing, but I believed she wouldn't believe me."

He testified that he shot her (a coroner's report said four times) in the back while she was stooped over a pet dog.

He said he then fled instead of burning the house as Holt had planned.

Asked why he committed the killing, Jackson said for the money, but added that Holt afterward "told me he'd tear up my grocery bill."

Saying he had discussed the slaying plan with friends, his father and his wife, Jackson described the Holts as friends.

"To tell you the truth about it, Joy was my friend, even more than Eugene," he testified.

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The patrol said a station wagon which ran out of gas was parked on the shoulder of the road facing south and was struck from behind by a car driven south by Angelo D. Mouhalis, 56, of Hayti.

Mouhalis was taken to Pemiscot Medical Center at Hayti for treatment of minor injuries.

A collision at 1:50 a.m. one-and-a-half miles north of Chaffee on Route M in Scott County between a pickup truck and a car caused serious injuries to the truck driver. Two passengers in the truck sustained minor injuries.

The patrol said the accident occurred when the truck, being driven south at a high rate of speed by Anthony Dale Cowell, 22, of Benton Route One, went off the west side of the roadway, struck a railroad gate, then continued into the north lane and sideswiped a northbound car driven by Deborah Darlene Wilfawn, 18, of Scott City.

Cowell and passengers, Roger Dale Whorton, 25, of Morley and Barbara June Bryant, 18, of Benton Route One were taken to St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau.

A single-vehicle accident at 8:05 a.m. on Route W two miles north of Poplar Bluff caused moderate injuries to a Poplar Bluff woman.

A car driven south by Helen Katherine St. Clair, 27, of Poplar Bluff skidded on a patch of ice at the end of a bridge, causing her to lose control. The car ran off an embankment on the south side of the road. A passenger, Mary Speakman, 53, of Poplar Bluff was taken to Doctors Hospital in Poplar Bluff for treatment of moderate injuries.

A pickup truck-car accident at 12:45 p.m. on Highway 77 in the south city limits of Chaffee caused minor injuries to both drivers.

The patrol said a car driven north by Rose Mary Ross, 41, of Chaffee Route One and a pickup driven south by Earl Battel, 48, of Chaffee Route One collided headon when the Ross woman failed to yield the right-of-way and made a left turn in front of the truck.

Battel was taken to Chaffee General Hospital and the Ross woman was taken to St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau.

Saffron is the most expensive of all spices. It is the stigma of a purple-flowered crocus and when dried, develops its deep orange color and aromatic flavor.

Charleston CD pre-application under review

EAST PRAIRIE — City Manager Frank Carter informed the City Council Thursday night that the city's pre-application for next year's community Development block grant program has been forwarded to the Bootheel Regional Planning Commission of review by the A-95 committee.

Carter said the application for $400,000 will then be forwarded to the Department of Housing and Urban Development for approval.

Areas designated for the anticipated funds for the coming year includes $200,000 for street improvements; $100,000 to complete the storm sewer project; and $100,000 for housing rehabilitation.

Following discussion, the council accepted the proposal from Webb Service Agency for a blanket-policy insurance coverage.

The coverage would include liability, workmen compensation, and fire at a cost of $12,360 per year.

The council voted to give each city employe a turkey for Christmas.

In routine action, the council approved the collector's report of $46,694.87 for November; police judge report showing $348 in assessed fines; and accounts payable in the amount of $5,847.04.

Additional daily record

MAGISTRATE COURT

NEW MADRID— Henry James Holloman has been bound over to New Madrid County Circuit Court for trial on a charge of possession of stolen property following a preliminary hearing before Judge John R. Bailey in which testimony was heard from Howardville marshal Robert E. Young. Hollomon was released on his own recognizance.

Misdemeanor fines

Cleotha Johnson, failure to stop for school bus, $30 and allowed one month to pay; Eugene Henry Miller, expired license, $20; Martha Gale Higgs, improper registration, $20; Bernice Thomas, driving while intoxicated (second offense) 30-day jail sentence suspended subject to defendant's compliance with Missouri motor vehicle laws, and speeding, $20 plus $15 costs.

William Earl Jackson, careless and imprudent driving, $25 and allowed one week to pay; Timothy Bryant Ruffin, overwidth vehicle, $20; Franklin James Catron, failure to transfer license, $20; Roosevelt Quinn, hunting from a motor vehicle and hunting without a permit, $25; and Bonita Fay Reynolds, expired operator's license, $20.

Bad check

Marcia Parker, cheat and defraud upon complaint of Virgil L. Oliver, $25 fine stayed upon payment of $25 costs.

Bonds forfeited

Hughie G. Milner and Doris Lynette Robinson failed to appear on speeding charges and $37 bond posted by each were ordered forfeited.

Speeding fines

Perry Carter Gooch, $50; Jimmy L. Fisher, $46; Ronald R. Roark and Brady Walker, $42 each; William M. Meeks, $40; James Paul Earthely, $39; Harriett H. Radcliffe, $38; Dolores Ruth Ketner, Robin Lynn Hunt and Danny Lee Long, $37 each; Thomas Richard Serth, $36; Norma J. Estes and Desmond Eli Becker, $35 each; Gary Autrey Riggs and Elmer Simeon Richardet, $34 each; Daniel J. Amos, William Edgar Story and Dolivan G. Roberts, $33 each; Joe John Lampe, Freddy Joe Weber and Farrell Wayne Bewley, $32 each; Charles J. Wakefield, Charles Henry Kamps and Cynthia Jane Davis, $31 each.

POLICE COURT

EAST PRAIRIE— Fines and punishment imposed this week by Police Judge Joel Savell included: George Bankhead, Steven Lloyd and Lloyd Rankin, careless and heedless driving, $25 each; William Ahlfield, public intoxication, $25 fine stayed on condition defendant remain out of town 30 days.

Carol E. Stuart and Angel Carlyle, petit larceny, $25, fines each stayed and charges dropped by McDonald's Food Mart on condition Christmas trees were paid for. Both were placed on 90-day probation.

EMERGENCY PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released Friday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community Hospital, were:

Race Minner, 7, of Charleston, cut back of head in a fall; Donna Huddleston, 21, of Essex, injured rib cage in a fall; Gary Moore, 24, of Sikeston, injured finger at work; Carrie Duncan, 16, of Matthews, bruised shoulder in a fall.

Melinda Thompson, 13, of Sikeston, injured tail bone in fall; Heather Graham, 1, of New Madrid, sprained thumb in a fall; Charles Fisher, 25 of Portageville, bruised foot when object dropped on it; Richard Glass, 15, of Sikeston, cut lip.

Lisa Washer, 10, of Charleston, injured finger on wheelchair; Jimmie Dale Hicks, 18, of Sikeston, cut scalp in car accident; Dianne Smith, 15, of Sikeston, sprained knee at school; Nancy Jenkins, 16, of Sikeston, bruised scalp in fall; and John Morris, 42, of St. Louis, strained shoulder in car accident.

MAGISTRATE COURT
Civil Cases

CHARLESTON — An unlawful detainer suit filed by Jacob and Betty Myres, against Orvil Britt, was dismissed with prejudice at cost of plaintiff.

A damage suit for $393.80, filed by Dewayne Coots against Danny and Deborah Lee Bickings was continued to Jan. 6.

An account suit for $107.60, filed by East Prairie Lumber Co. against Royce Mix, was set for trial Dec. 16.

An account suit for $1,908.72, filed by Disco Distributing Co. against James O'Dell Refrigeration of East Prairie, was ordered transferred to Circuit Court on a motion by the defendant for change of venue.

Dismissed without prejudice for failure to prosecute was an account suit in the amount of $1,002.84 filed by Primrose Oil Co. against Bruce and Lonnie Childress.

Judge Banta overruled a motion by the defense to quash, dissolve attachment and dismiss in an attachment suit filed by John H. and Lettie Dowdy against Thomas Grassham. The plaintiff was granted leave to filed an amendment affidavit.

A promissory note suit, filed by Bollinger County Bank against Gertrude McGee Kennedy, will be dismissed for failure to prosecute if not heard by Jan. 6, 1977, the judge ruled.

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Five Southeast Missouri families are honored for management

Mr. & Mrs. Charles Hawkins

MATTHEWS — A machine repair shop and a machine storage shed pay for themselves in improved efficiency and longer machine life, according to Charles Hawkins of Matthews.

Hawkins operates a 1,050-acre cotton and grain farm in New Madrid County. He owns 160 acres and rents the rest.

The machine shop allows Hawkins to do most of the repair work on his tractors, combines, and other equipment.

"We do everything except work on diesel pumps and injectors," he said.

The slack time on the crop farm during the winter is spent working on machinery. "It cuts down time in the field, because when spring comes, we're ready to go. Everything is ready."

Putting the machinery in storage during the winter adds an estimated 30 per cent to the life of a combine, Hawkins said.

In recognition of their farming ability, Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins have been named to receive a farm management award given by the Extension Division of the University of Missouri-Columbia.

The Hawkinses have one daughter, Lisa Lea, 13.

Ed Constein, extension agricultural engineer from the University of Missouri-Columbia, visited the Hawkins farm as part of the selection committee. He said, "Charles makes good use of his machine shop and storage buildings. His maintenance program is a definite asset to his farming operation."

It took Hawkins some time to get the machine shed. "I started making plans for it in 1964," he said. "I went around and looked at a lot of shops."

"That was back before these new steel buildings were available," he said. "Besides, we just didn't have the money to buy one," he added.

With the help of his hired hands, Hawkins tore down old houses and buildings on his landlord's farms in return for the lumber. With these materials, they built the sheds. The shop was completed in 1967 and the storage shed in 1968.

"I bought the rafters for the storage shed, everything else in salvage material," he pointed out.

By having the machine shop, Hawkins can make more efficient use of his hired farm labor during the winter months. "That's putting labor to good use instead of just creating jobs," he said.

Workers have been trained to work on all of the equipment. "They can tear it down to get ready for repairs," he said.

By paying attention to repairs and keeping it in out of the weather, Hawkins expects to get 10 years use out of a combine. "I just can't afford to go out and buy a $35,000 combine every four or five years," Hawkins said.

Richard McIntosh, area extension farm management specilist, said, "Someone who doesn't take care of them and stay on top of repairs, starts thinking about trading combines in the neighborhood of five years."

Hawkins said, "I like new paint as well as anyone, but if the combine holds up, I'll keep it 10 years anyway."

"That's a different philosophy of buying and caring for equipment than a lot of people have," McIntosh said.

Hawkins has been slow about going to the biggest machinery available. "I've got the idea that you can get machinery that's too big," he said.

In his cropping system, this year, Hawkins raised 225 acres of cotton, 400 acres of soybeans, 300 acres of wheat, and 205 acres of popcorn.

Much of the wheat land was double cropped with soybeans.

Hawkins says there are several advantages to growing the speciality crop, popcorn. "It lets me start harvesting early. I don't have drying problems, because it dries down real fast in the field."

With popcorn, Hawkins doesn't have the bulk and volume to handle that he would have with field corn.

Popcorn also adds some stability to his grain marketing. "I forward contract the crop, so I know what I'm going to get for it," he added.

"But it has it's drawbacks," Hawkins added, "with the later planting, you have a problem with corn borer. I didn't lose any, but if we'd had one storm, I would have."

This fall Hawkins has reduced his wheat acreage. "I was going to go back with a lot of wheat, but it just got too cheap. You can get $35 an acre tied up in it. You can't afford that with wheat bringing $2.25."

Hawkins has been putting his farm ground to grade to improve drainage and to allow irrigation.

Hawkins figures his first land grading paid for itself in the first year with increased yields. "It used to be one of the worst pothole farms. It ran from a ridge to a hole, a ridge to a hole. It was unbelievable."

"One field, I planted four times. Everytime we'd get a rain, we lost the stand in the holes and would have to replant."

"Land grading has been one of the best investments I ever made," Hawkins said.

This year, Hawkins put another 85 acres to grade. He figures the increased yields have already more than half paid for the work.

The newly graded field made 28.5 bushels of soybeans while a field across the road made only 17 bushels. "That's more than a 10-bushel increase that can go toward paying for the grading," Hawkins said.

"The beans didn't do as well as I expected," Hawkins said. "But you don't get your best yield the first year after grading," he added.

For drying his grain, Hawkins has a Shivvers in-bin system. High moisture grain is added to the bin and hot air is forced up through the bottom. Temperature activated switches turn on a sweep auger in the bottom of the bin when the grain is dry. The dry grain is transported to an adjacent bin to cool down. As new high moisture grain is lowered to the bottom of the bin, the temperature switches automatically stop the unloading.

"I bought the first one in this area," Hawkins said. "I'm sure glad I did."

To haul the grain from the fields to the bins, Hawkins uses four 300-bushel self-unloading grain wagons. He has found the wagons to be less expensive to maintain than grain trucks. "The upkeep, licensing, and insurance on trucks is awfully high," he pointed out.

Mr. & Mrs. Wallace Peebles

EAST PRAIRIE — Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Peebles live near East Prairie, in the Pinhook community. Wallace and Maudest have two children, Katy, age 18, who is a freshman at Murray State College in Murray, Kentucky, and Robert, age 16, who is a Junior at East Prairie High School.

The Peebles began farming in 1949. They operate a 636-acre row crop farm. For the past several years, they have produced about 570 acres of single and double crop soybeans, 100 acres of wheat, and 65 acres of cotton. Some years, grain sorghum is produced for rotation purposes. For the past two years, no-till soybeans behind wheat has been quite successful.

A few years ago, most of the acreage the Peebles farm was heavily infested with Johnsongrass. Peebles had made big strides toward cleaning up this problem even before some of the current Johnsongrass herbicides became available.

Over the years, Peebles demonstrated that with with good management and a lot of hard work even problem farms could be cleaned up.

He decided several years ago that grain storage was profitable. He said his facility paid for itself in two years. He has found that it simplifies harvest, reduces his harvesting losses, and eliminates the need for trucks at harvest time. Consequently, he doesn't even own a big grain truck. He has found it more economical to have his grain custom hauled to market from his storage bins.

With grain storage facilities, he has been able to develop a grain marketing plan which meets his goals.

Wallace says he prefers to forward price about one third of his crop (sometimes for delivery after harvest), to sell about one third at harvest, and to store the remaining one third for sale some time later.

The Peebles are active members of the First Christian Church in East Prairie. Maudest is a Sunday School teacher and both she and Katy are Bible School teachers. Robert is a junior deacon.

One of the Peeble's family goals is for their children to complete their college education. However, more important than a college disploma is their belief and faith in God, faith in themselves, and belief in this nation. The Peebles do not plan to expand their farming operation unless Robert wants to farm after completing his college education.

Mr. & Mrs. Leon Schlitt

ORAN — Mr. and Mrs. Leon Schlitt live near Oran. The Schlitts have a diversified farming operation. Although row crops are their main enterprise, they also finish feeder pigs and feeder cattle. They own 207 acres and rent an additional 230 acres.

They normally produce from 200 to 300 acres of single and double crop soybeans, 50 to 100 acres of corn, 70 to 90 acres of wheat, 10 acres of cotton, as well as red clover for pasture and hay. Clover ground is normally planted to soybeans following the first cutting of hay.

Leon indicated that the number of feeder pigs finished fluctuates, depending upon home grown grain supplies and prospective profits. However, they normally finish 200 to 300 head of hogs and 35 head of cattle.

Over the years, the Schlitts have added to their on-the-farm grain storage facilities both so they could market their grain through liverstock, as well as market in an orderly fashion their soybeans.

Mr. and Mrs. Schlitt have three children, Kenneth, 23, a 1975 graduate of Southeast Missouri State University, Jolene, 21, secretary for SeMo Motor Company in Sikeston, and Donnie, 18, a freshman at Southeast Missouri State University this year. The Schlitts have accomplished two of the family goals they set for themselves. Those were to buy a farm and build a new home.

They have considered expanding their farming operation by expanding their cattle and hog feeding enterprises. The Schlitts have demonstrated that farming is a good occupation for those willing to work and do a good job of financial management.

The Schlitts are members of the Guardian Angel Church of Oran and the church organizations. Leon is president of the local school board, president of the Guardian Angel Credit Union and serves on the Agricultural Stabilization Conservation Service county committee.

James Miller Family

ST. LOUIS — Mr. and Mrs. James L. Miller of Dexter Route Two are state winners from Stoddard County in the East Missouri Farm Management Awards Program.

They were honored Thursday night at a dinner, in the Breckenridge Pavilion, where they received their award.

Jim and Karen were married in 1962 and have two children, Lori Ann, 12, and James Keith, 10.

The family belongs to second General Baptist Church in Dexter. Mrs. Miller is the 1977 neighborhood chairman for Girl Scouts, and both children are active in scouting programs. Miller has been on the Stoddard County Extension Council for six years and was president for three years.

Both he and Mrs. Miller are active in the Young Farmers Association, in which he is vice president of the Dexter chapter this year and Mrs. Miller is past historian and first vice president of the state Young Farm Wives Association.

The family also belongs to the 76'ers CB Club, an organization Miller serves as vice president.

The Millers own 256 acres and rent an additional 344 acres for a total farming operation of 600 acres. Three types of irrigation systems are used, including the central pivot, furrow and stationary big gun systems. Last year, yields were 365 pounds of lint cotton, 115 bushels of corn, 37 bushels of soybeans, including double cropped soybeans, and 40 bushels of wheat. Since 1973, the family has added 8,500 bushels of grain storage and drying facilities and constructed a new 50 by 90- foot machine shed and shop.

FOLK ART

WORCESTER, Mass. (AP) — The Worcester Art Museum recently acquired four oil portraits by American folk artist Erastus Salisbury Field (1805-1900).

The subjects of the portraits are Field's friends, Eleazar and Sibbel Cowles, and their daughters Maria and Louisa, done in 1837.

Mr. & Mrs. Don Lynn

ST. LOUIS — Mr. and Mrs. Don Lynn of Kennett, state winners from Dunklin County in the East Missouri Farm Management Awards Program, were honored Thursday night at a dinner in the Breckenridge Pavilion, where they received their award.

Don and Betty were married in 1956 and have four children, Cheryl, 18, David, 15, Damon, 9, and Jonathan, 6.

The family belongs to First Baptist Church in Kennett, where Mrs. Lynn teaches a class of 11th and 12th graders. She is also a Cub Scout den mother, and the family participates in scouting activities. Daughter Cheryl is a Senior Girl Scout.

Lynn is a member of the Dunklin County Extension Council. He is also on the Production Credit Association Advisory Board and is a member of the Dunklin County Farm Bureau.

For relaxation, the family enjoys camping, boating and other water sports.

Don and Betty started farming in 1957 by renting 80 acres of land. They now own 80 acres and rent 1,120 for a total operation of 1,200 acres. The Lynns produce approximately one bale of cotton per acre and 40 bushels of wheat, which is double cropped with soybeans for an average of 30 bushels of soybeans per acre.

The family also produces approximately 100 acres of watermelons with a production of about 15,000 pounds per acre. This operation takes the efforts and participation of the whole family.

Lynn has a 55-head cow-calf operation on 130 acres of pasture, and he uses the cows to forage on the land that produced crops in the summer to reduce winter feed costs.

Matches were sold in Hanchow, China from A.D. 970 and called "fire-inch-sticks". Marco Polo witnessed their use during his trip to China in the 13th century.

Area farmers take opportunity to do fall land preparation for '77

By JOHN D. GARRETT
Area Agronomy Specialist

BENTON — Normally farmers in Southeast Missouri do very little fall land preparation. It is not that they don't believe in this practice. The reason so little ground is prepared in the fall is because of excess moisture and delayed harvest. However, this fall has been and still is a different situation.

Many farmers have taken advantage of this opportunity to prepare most of their ground. Some fields of heavy soil are actually still too dry for much preparation. These type soilds do not require as much preparation as the mixed to clay laom type soils.

Many different soil types and situations are present in Scott County. The major textural classes are sand, sandy loam, silt loam, clay, and clay loam. The county is divided into approximately 70 per cent lowland and 30 per cent upland. Land preparation will be a little different in each situation.

Clay soils are located in the lowlands and creek bottoms. Clay soils require very little preparation. Actually, they are generally overworked. These soils tend to crack when dry and do not form a hardpan. Lowland soils of this type have produced highest yields with a minimum amount of preparation. One popular and highly recommended method is to leave the old row in the same place without disturbing it. This can be done with a hipper only or a ripper-hipper. Fall preparation is ideal on these soils. By spring planting time, another light hipping mav be necessary. This will depend on winter rainfall. If rainfall is heavy, fields will drain better if hipped-up. Freezing and thawing aids in mellowing these tight soils. Root penetration is more rapid when planted on old rows. The firm, moist seedbed is beneficial for rapid emergence.

For farmers who do not use hippers, another popular method is to disk and chisel one time. Additional disking or chiseling is generally not necessary or beneficial. Farmers with heavy soils bordering creeks that overflow will want to do very little fall preparation. Leave these soils rough and covered if possible to avoid water erosion.

Silt loam soils are located primarily in the upland area. These soils are subject to erosion and very little fall preparation can be done. It is best to leave these soils rough or covered with winter cover crop. Early spring disking, chiseling, or plowing are necessary. No-till also works good on these upland soils. Silt loam soils are bad to form a hardpan, especially if a disk is used a lot in preparation. Hardpans should be broken up by deep chiseling or breaking.

Most of the row crops are planted flat on the upland soils so hippers are not popular. The disk is quick and necessary on the farm, but a hardpan can be built up faster with a disk than any other tool, so don't use it any more than absolutely necessary.

Most of the new tractors have cabs that are heated so unless soils are too wet or frozen, they can do a bit of fall land preparation. Do not prepare soils when wet.

Scientists figure way to knock wild garlic out of red winer wheat

OMAHA, Neb. — Good news for growers of soft red winter wheat used in the milling of pastry: Scientists have figured out a way to knock wild garlic out of their wheat fields.

Paraquat will do the trick. "All we need is clearance for use of the herbicide on soft red winter wheat and to work out timing of application," said Elroy J. Peters, U.S. Department of Agriculture Agricultural Research Service agronomist at the University of Missouri-Columbia.

In a paper delivered this week at the North Central Wheat Control Conference, Peters and colleague Sam Lowance said paraquat applied at the rate of one pound an acre was "highly effective on wild garlic in Missouri trials."

They said detailed application recommendations had yet to be worked out, but farmers would probably find fall treatments most convenient.

"It looks like a good scheme would be to delay planting wheat until about Oct. 15 and to spray for wild garlic a day to two before planting," said Peters. "That's because the paraquat will kill the tops of other vegetation growing with the garlic."

The wild garlic control is an important breakthrough, because some growers had been docked as much as $2 a bushel two years ago for having garlic in their wheat. Even though the penalty isn't as great now, said Peters, it's still costly to growers.

"The garlic plant has aerial bulbelts that are almost the same size as wheat kernels," he explained. "It's almost impossible to separate the two at harvest."

The problem with garlic is that it comes equipped with hard shelled bulblets that grow under ground. About 30 per cent of them will sprout the first year; the rest gradually over five years. Besides, any new garlic that emerges produces bulblets that follow the same sprouting process. That's why growers have to keep after the garlic year after year.

If wheat and garlic are harvested together, the growers' only recourse (besides taking a cut in price) is to store the garlic and wheat for six months or use artificial heat to dry the garlic bulblets to a point where a conventional fanning will remove them.

Storage procedure, besides being expensive, are far from the perfect solution.

"Some studies indicate that garlic bublets were no longer viable after seven months-storage," said Peters. "However, in one test those aerial bulbelts remained viable for two years."

Scientists 'charge up' pesticides to droplets to remove the drift

COLUMBIA — Scientists here are "charging up" spray droplets in hopes of taking much of the drift out of pesticides.

"Our ultimate aim is safe, effective spraying--even under turbulent conditions," said David Smith, a U.S. Department of Agriculture Agricultural Research Service engineer.

Right now, he said, sprays contain droplets that range in diameter from one to two microns to several hundred microns. To give you an idea how small some of these droplets are, a human hair is 90 microns in diameter. It's the little drops that drift and hurt "non-target" plants or insects.

"Right now, the big drops overtake the small ones during spraying, brush them aside and keep going right on by," explained Carroll Goering, University of Missouri-Columbia agricultural engineer who is working with Smith on the project. "So we decided to electrically charge the droplets, so the big ones would pick the little ones up and keep them from drifting."

Smith, Goering and Dick Hoft (of the UMC electrical engineering department) designed and built a high voltage power supply that generates 15,000 volts at a frequency of 1,000 to 2,000 cycles per second.

The electric power is applied to a ring just below the spray nozzle and the droplets are charged as they come out of the sprayer.

So far, Smith and Goering have tested alternating current (AC) with only modest success. But they do feel that their "atomization" technique has some potential.

They are also testing piezoelectric crystals or plates that make a cantilivered vibrating beam. "We can control the frequency of this vibrating beam," said Smith, "and we are now testing different frequencies, etc., and their effect on atomization (droplet size distribution).

"Ultimately, we'd like just one droplet size in a spray. Then we could control the size and vary it for different insects, diseases and crops."

Smith and Goering are conducting research so that they will eventually be able to predict a farmer's spraying success by knowing the climatic conditions that exist in an area and the type equipment he is using.

"We hope to develop better guides for farmers and reduce possibilities of their getting into a drift damage situation," said Smith.

In earlier research, Smith, Goering and UMC atmospheric scientists examined a 20-year weather model to find the greatest amount of pesticide drift usually occurs between 12 noon and 6 p.m. Prevailing winds usually start to calm down around 6 p.m., and spray conditions keep getting better until midnight. They generally stay good, then, until about 9 the next morning.

"If drift reduction were the only criteria," said Goering, "night spraying would be far superior to day spraying."

Of course, there are some implications for the "night riders." They can't always see what they are doing and they can lose a little sleep.

The best compromise, said Goering and Smith, seems to be to spray in late evening or early morning.

Spot cotton prices still steady

HAYTI — Spot Cotton prices were mostly steady again during the week ending Dec. 3, reports Paul W. Karban, officer in charge of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service Cotton Classing Office in Hayti. Supplies of non-contracted cotton were low, and trading was generally light.

Mixed lots of grades 41 and higher, staples 34 and longer, miking 3.5 to 4.9, mostly sold for 74 to 76 cents per pound. Grades 51 and 42 brought 71 to 74.5 cents per pound. Lower quality grades of 43, 52 and 61 sold for 66 to 71 cents per pound.

Additional discounts were taken on cotton miking below the base range. Cotton in the mike range of 3.3 to 3.4 was discounted 200-300 points per pound, mikes of 3.0 to 3.2 were discounted 500 -600 points per pound and mikes of 2.9 and lower were discounted 800-900 points per pound.

About 12,000 samples were graded the previous week under the Smith-Doxey program, bringing the season's total to nearly 154,000 samples, just short of the Crop Reporting Board's estimate for Missouri of 155,000 bales.

The quality of classings again declined during the week. Only 10 per cent of last week's classings graded 41. Light spotted grades decreased slightly to 41 per cent, down from 45 per cent for the previous week. The full spotted group (23, 33, 43, 53) took a large increase to 37 per cent, up from 25 per cent.

Micronaire readings continued to drop under the base range. Forty-eight per cent of the samples classed miked below 3.5, compared to the 34 per cent of the previous week.

Total exports of cotton from the United States for the August-October period this season were 833,600 bales, an increase from the 809,200 bales exported through the same period last year and 506,700 bales of two years ago.

New York Stock Exchange

NYSE ups, downs

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the New York Stock Exchange stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percent of change regardless of volume

No securities trading below $2 are included. Net and percentage changes are the difference between last week's closing price and this week's closing price.

UPS

	name	Last	Chg		Pct.	
1	Rohr Ind	67⅞	+ 21½	Up		57.1
2	Gen Develp	57⅜	+ 11½	Up		34.3
3	Amrep Corp	2	+ ½	Up		33.3
4	GlfMtg RIty	21¼	+ ½	Up		28.6
5	Katy Ind	8	+ 1¾	Up		28.0
6	Sonesta	3½	+ ¾	Up		27.3
7	Unit Inns	5¾	+ 1⅛	Up		26.5
8	Ipco Hospit	5¾	+ 1⅛	Up		24.3
9	Deseret Ph	37⅝	+ 7¼	Up		23.9
10	ElginNatl	20⅜	+ 3⅞	Up		23.1
11	Publick Ind	6¼	+ 1⅛	Up		22.0
12	BT Mtg Inv	2⅛	+ ⅜	Up		21.4
13	ContlIlRIty	2⅛	+ ⅜	Up		21.4
14	Pueblo Int	2⅞	+ ½	Up		21.1
15	US Leasing	10¾	+ 1⅞	Up		21.1
16	Deltona Cp	4⅜	+ ¾	Up		20.7
17	Bandag Inc	18⅛	+ 3	Up		19.8
18	World Airw	4¾	+ ¾	Up		18.8
19	HudsBay A	18¼	+ 2⅞	Up		18.7
20	Schaefer Cp	7¼	+ 1⅛	Up		18.4
21	Am Medical	13	+ 2	Up		18.2
22	Rapid Amer	4⅞	+ ¾	Up		18.2
23	SavOn Drg	7⅜	+ 1⅛	Up		18.0
24	Victor Com	7⅜	+ 1⅛	Up		18.0
25	Fisher Sci	14	+ 2⅛	Up		17.9

DOWNS

	Name	Last	Chg		Pct.	
1	Bobbie Brks	3¼	— 1	Off		23.5
2	UnBrnd pfA	11⅜	— 1½	Off		11.7
3	Hughes Tool	36½	— 3¾	Off		9.3
4	MtgeTr Am	3¾	— ⅜	Off		9.1
5	Triangl Ind	9	— ⅞	Off		8.9
6	UV Ind	32¼	— 2⅞	Off		8.2
7	ImpCpAm	16½	— 1⅜	Off		7.7
8	Wolver WW	4½	— ⅜	Off		7.7
9	Rowan Cos	28⅜	— 2⅛	Off		7.0
10	Data Genl	43	— 3⅛	Off		6.8
11	Copper Rge	18¼	— 1¼	Off		6.4
12	ChesebgP	24½	— 1⅝	Off		6.2
13	Leeds North	26⅜	— 1¾	Off		6.2
14	Hunt Chem	12	— ¾	Off		5.9
15	Justice Mtg	2	— ⅛	Off		5.9
16	Union Corp	6⅛	— ⅜	Off		5.8
17	Holly Sug	28½	— 1⅝	Off		5.4
18	ExCelIO	24⅜	— 1⅜	Off		5.3
19	Far WestFn	9	— ½	Off		5.3
20	Gamb Skog	22⅛	— 1¼	Off		5.3
21	Rockower	11⅛	— ⅝	Off		5.3
22	StudWorth	40¼	— 2¼	Off		5.3
23	Nthgate Ex	4⅝	— ¼	Off		5.1
24	Vetco Inc	19⅜	— 1	Off		4.9
25	Travelers	35⅛	— 1¾	Off		4.7

AMEX ups, downs

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UPS

	name	Last	Chg		Pct.	
1	Pioneer Sy	21⅛	+ 1	Up		88.9
2	Un Invest	4¾	+ 2⅛	Up		81.0
3	Nat System	5⅞	+ 2¼	Up		62.1
4	UNatCp pf	3⅜	+ 1¼	Up		58.8
5	Geon Ind	2⅛	+ ¾	Up		54.5
6	Chartr Med	5¾	+ 2	Up		53.3
7	K Tel Intl	6¼	+ 1¾	Up		38.9
8	Fidelco Gth	2⅜	+ ⅝	Up		35.7
9	Mite Corp	7⅛	+ 1¾	Up		32.6
10	Horn&Har	5¾	+ 1⅜	Up		31.4
11	Foodrama	5¼	+ 1¼	Up		31.3
12	Garcia Corp	2⅛	+ ½	Up		30.8
13	Altamil Cp	6½	+ 1½	Up		30.0
14	KitMfg Co	3⅜	+ ¾	Up		28.6
15	Solitron	2¼	+ ½	Up		28.6
16	ElecAud Dy	2⅞	+ ⅝	Up		27.8
17	KirbyExp	14½	+ 3⅛	Up		27.5
18	Silo Inc	5⅞	+ 1¼	Up		27.0
19	Dynalect Cp	4⅛	+ ⅞	Up		26.9
20	Weiman	2⅜	+ ½	Up		26.7
21	Lynch Corp	3¼	+ ⅝	Up		23.8
22	DynellElec	8⅝	+ 1⅝	Up		23.2
23	Piedmont In	2	+ ⅜	Up		23.1
24	Armin Cp	7⅜	+ 1⅜	Up		22.9
25	Veeco Instr	11⅜	+ 2⅛	Up		22.4

DOWNS

	Name	Last	Chg		Pct.	
1	Vintage Ent	2⅜	— ⅜	Off		13.6
2	Burgess Ind	3⅜	— ½	Off		12.9
3	Sealectro	2¾	— ⅜	Off		12.0
4	Genl Explor	4¾	— ⅝	Off		11.6
5	Sierracin	5¾	— ¾	Off		11.5
6	LogiconInc	6⅞	— ⅞	Off		11.3
7	Nat Spinng	2¼	— ¼	Off		10.0
8	UV Ind wt	4¾	— ½	Off		9.5
9	Spector Ind	6⅛	— ⅝	Off		9.3
10	Bodin App	5	— ½	Off		9.1
11	Prud Group	3¾	— ⅜	Off		9.1
12	Rocor Intl	2½	— ¼	Off		9.1
13	Knicker Toy	25⅞	— 2½	Off		9.0
14	Staffd Lowd	5⅛	— ½	Off		8.9
15	Gorin Strs	3⅞	— ⅜	Off		8.8
16	Shopwell In	2⅝	— ¼	Off		8.7
17	Tubos Mex	2	—3-16	Off		8.6
18	Elec Hose	4½	— ⅜	Off		7.7
19	Simco Strs	3	— ¼	Off		7.7
20	Vulcan Corp	3	— ¼	Off		7.7
21	Bell Indust	4⅜	— ⅜	Off		7.5
22	Big DaddyL	4⅜	— ⅜	Off		7.5
23	FlaRock In	3⅛	— ¼	Off		7.4
24	Tenna Corp	3⅛	— ¼	Off		7.4
25	Kleer Vu In	3¼	— ¼	Off		7.1
26	Presley Co	9¾	— ¾	Off		7.1
27	Ranchr Ex	14⅝	—1⅛	Off		7.1

What the stock market did

	This week	Prev. week	Year ago	Two Years ago
Advances	1545	1123	798	793
Declines	401	727	931	920
Unchanged	161	241	322	288
Total issues	2107	2091	2051	2001
New yearly highs	402	278	22	3
New yearly lows	20	44	93	482

NYSE Most active

NEW YORK (AP) Week's twenty most active stocks.

Yearly High / Low

High	Low		Week's Sles	High	Low	Last	Chg.
22⅛	13½	Occiden Pet	1,641,000	22⅛	20¾	21⅞	+ ⅝
64	50⅞	Am Tel&Tel	1,458,400	64	62	63⅞	+ 1⅛
10⅛	7⅜	Sony Corp	1,242,700	9⅜	8⅜	9½	+ 1
75⅜	57¾	Gen Motors	1,037,600	75⅜	71⅜	73¾	+ 2⅛
28¾	23⅜	Texaco Inc	1,024,300	27	26	26¾	+ ⅛
56⅞	47¼	Exxon	984,400	52⅞	50⅞	52⅝	+ 1½
47⅜	26½	Tandy Corp	974,200	38⅛	37½	37⅞	+ ¼
28⅞	24⅛	BankAmer	973,300	28⅞	26¾	28⅞	+ 1⅞
28⅞	20⅜	GulfOil	876,000	28⅞	27⅞	28¾	+ ⅝
58¾	46	Gen Elec	870,400	53⅜	50¾	53¼	+ 2⅜
16¼	13¾	Southern Co	864,700	16¼	15¾	16	+ ⅛
19⅜	10⅜	MGIC Inv	859,800	19⅜	17½	19	+ 1
45⅛	31¼	Polaroid	843,600	40½	37	38⅞	+ 2¼
37⅜	27¾	Citicorp	833,700	32¾	30¾	32¾	+ 1¾
56⅛	38⅜	Dow Ch	787,000	40½	39	40⅛	+ 1
43¾	31¼	Kresge SS	785,300	43⅜	41¾	42⅞	+ 1
8	3⅜	US Indust	776,800	8	7¼	7⅜	+ ⅛
15½	12¼	Va ElPow	703,900	15½	14¾	15¼	+ ⅜
20	10⅜	Holiday Inn	699,700	13½	13¾	13⅜	+ 1½
66	48¾	McDonald	696,200	56	52⅞	52⅞	— 2⅛

OTC ups, downs

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list shows the Over the Counter stocks and warrants that have gone up the most and down the most based on percent of change regardless of volume

No securities trading below $2 are included. Net and percentage changes are the difference between last week's closing price and this week's closing price.

UPS

	name	Last	Chg		Pct.	
1	Templet Ind	3	+ 1½	Up		100.0
2	Chem-Nucl	4½	+ 1¾	Up		63.6
3	Am Pacific Int	4⅜	+ 1¾	Up		60.9
4	BkCompthNw	2	+ ¾	Up		60.0
5	Lexitron Corp	4	+ 1½	Up		60.0
6	Cassifd Finl	2⅜	+ ⅞	Up		58.3
7	Piper Indust	4¾	+ 1¾	Up		58.3
8	ABKCO Inds	2¾	+ 1	Up		57.1
9	Rovac Corp	28½	+ 10¼	Up		56.2
10	StdMicrosys	2½	+ ⅞	Up		53.8
11	Schaak Electrn	3¾	+ 1¼	Up		50.0
12	Summit Proprty	2¼	+ ¾	Up		50.0
13	UnionPlantr	8¼	+ 2¾	Up		50.0
14	Microwave Semi	23⅜	+ ¾	Up		46.2
15	Fashion220	4	+ 1¼	Up		45.5
16	MidwGasTr	20	+ 6	Up		42.9
17	Gen Automation	7⅛	+ 2⅛	Up		42.5
18	AFA ProtSvc	6⅜	+ 1⅞	Up		41.7
19	OakbrookCn	4¼	+ 1¼	Up		41.7
20	BenefNatCps	3	+ ⅞	Up		41.2
21	Seeburg Ind	5¾	+ 1⅝	Up		39.4
22	IntersilInc	8⅝	+ 2⅜	Up		38.0
23	Dana Elec	2	+ ½	Up		33.3
24	Rapidata Inc	2½	+ ⅝	Up		33.3
25	Seiscom Delta	2	+ ½	Up		33.3

DOWNS

	Name	Last	Chg		Pct.	
1	AtwdOceanic	5⅞	— 1⅞	Off		24.2
2	VanDyk Resrch	3½	— 1	Off		22.2
3	Congress L	2	— ½	Off		20.0
4	Chateau DeVille	3¼	— ¾	Off		18.8
5	Pearsall Chem	3½	— ¾	Off		17.6
6	OrionCap	5¾	— 1	Off		14.8
7	ElectProtAm	3	— ½	Off		14.3
8	Sentry Mfg	6	— 1	Off		14.3
9	RSR Corp	3¼	— ½	Off		13.3
10	Volunteer Cap	10	— 1	Off		13.0
11	Alphatype	3½	— ½	Off		12.5
12	UnitCable Telev	3½	— ½	Off		12.5
13	KewaunScien	7½	— 1	Off		11.8
14	CanSou Pet	2⅞	— ⅜	Off		11.5
15	SanFernEl	3⅞	— ½	Off		11.4
16	Pulaski Furnitur	11¾	— 1½	Off		11.3
17	FairfldCommty	2	— ¼	Off		11.1
18	Hydro Optics	2	— ¼	Off		11.1
19	Kustom Electron	2	— ¼	Off		11.1
20	AmMedSvcs	2⅛	— ¼	Off		10.5
21	HiTech Ind	2⅛	— ¼	Off		10.5
22	PrecisCastparts	8½	— 1	Off		10.5
23	TII Corp	4¼	— ½	Off		10.5
24	BellCnda 77wt	2 13-16	—5-16	Off		10.0
25	Bross Util	2¼	— ¼	Off		10.0
26	Calspan Corp	2¼	— ¼	Off		10.0
27	Graphidyne	2¼	— ¼	Off		10.0

Group averages

NEW YORK (AP) — The following list gives the weekly average net change for the common stocks traded in each group:

Aerospace, Aircraft	+ ⅜
Air Transport	unch
Auto, Truck	+ ⅝
Auto Parts & Accessories	+1
Banks, Savings & Loan	+ ⅞
Beverage Soft Drinks	— ⅛
Brewing, Distilling	+ ⅜
Building	+ ½
Chemicals	+1
Communication	+ ⅜
Conglomerates, Diversified	+ ⅝
Containers, Packaging	+ ¾
Drugs, Medical Supplies	+1⅜
Electronics, Electric Products	+ ⅞
Finance	+ ½
Foods, Commodities	+ ½
Food Markets & Vendors	+ ¼
Gold, Silver	+ ⅜
Hotels, Motels, Tourism	+1
House Furnishings	+ ½
Insurance	+ ½
Investment Companies	+ ⅜
Machine Tools & Accessories	+ ⅝
Machinery	+ ¾
Metal Fabricating	+ ⅜
Mining (non metallic)	+1
Motor Transport & Leasing	+ ⅝
Non-ferrous Metals	+ ⅞
Office Equipment & Services	+ ⅛
Paper, Pulp	+ ⅝
Petroleum	+1
Photo Products & Services	+ ½
Precision Instruments, Watches	+ ¾
Printing, Publishing	+ 1⅛
Railroads, Rail Equipment	+ ⅞
RealEstate, Leisure	+ ¼
Restaurants	+ ⅜
Retail Trade	+ ⅜
Rubber, Tires	+ ⅝
Shipping, Shipbuilding	— ⅛
Shoes, Leather Products	+ ⅛
Soaps, Cosmetics, Toiletries	+ ⅛
Steel, Iron	+ ¾
Textiles, Apparel	+ ⅜
Tobacco	+ ¼
Utilities Electric	+ ⅜
Utilities Gas	+ ¾

American Stock Exchange

NEW YORK (AP) — American Stock Exchange trading for the week selected issues:

	Sales hds	High	Low	Last	Chg.
Aegis Corp	333	1¼	1	1⅛	+ 1/16
Alleghy Airl	242	5¼	5⅛	5¼	.....
AMIC Corp.05e	454	18	16⅛	17½	+ 1⅛
ArminCp .12	535	7⅜	5⅞	7⅜	+ 1⅜
Asamera .25	850	11⅜	10⅛	10⅝	— ¾
AtlasCM B .08e	579	3½	3⅜	3½	.....
Austral Oil	251	15⅜	14⅜	14⅞	— ¼
Autmat Rad	169	5⅜	5	5¼	— ¼
BaldorEl .24	42	10⅜	10⅜	10½	— ⅛
BanistrCtl .20e	225	8⅞	8	8⅜	+ ⅜
Bellind .08A	327	5⅛	4⅝	4⅝	— ⅜
Berg Bruns	286	5⅝	4⅞	5⅜	+ ⅜
BowVall .10	529	23¼	19⅛	22¼	+ 2¾
BradfdN .20	292	9½	8⅝	9⅛	+ ⅜
BrascanA .1	1625	11⅞	11⅛	11⅝	— ¼
CK Pet .20e	320	17⅞	16⅜	17⅝	+ ½
CMI Corp	x229	2½	2⅜	2⅜	+ ⅛
Carbon .80a	465	38¾	36	37¾	—1
Caressa .30	445	5⅞	4¾	5⅞	+ 1
Carnat 1.40a	522	78¾	77	78¾	+ 1¾
CerMpf 2.25	x190	23⅜	22⅛	22¼	— ½
Champ Hom	2440	4⅛	3¾	3⅞	.....
CircleK .60	302	9¼	8¾	9⅛	+ ¼
Coachmn	553	17¼	15¾	17¼	+ ½
Coleman .68	709	15⅞	14⅛	15⅝	+ 1½
Concrd Fab	183	5⅞	5	5¾	+ ¾
ConOil Gas	401	10⅝	10⅛	10⅛	— ⅛
Consyne Cp	81	8⅜	7⅞	8⅜	+ ½
Cookind .40	133	19¼	17⅞	19	+ 1⅜
Cornelius .40	60	11	10½	10⅞	+ ⅜
CrutcR .36	969	10⅜	9⅝	10⅜	+ ¼
Damson Oil	771	7⅞	6¾	7⅜	+ ⅛
Dataprod	1689	12⅜	11⅛	12	+ ⅞
Dome Petrl	1661	37¼	32½	37	+ 3½
Dynictn .06e	734	4⅜	3¼	4⅛	+ ⅞
DynAmer	223	6	5⅜	5⅞	+ ⅛
EarthRes 1	934	18⅛	16½	17¾	+ 1⅛
ElcorCp .10	85	6⅞	6⅜	6¾	— ⅛
FDIInc .01e	84	2⅞	2⅝	2⅞	.....
FalconS .60	1246	32⅝	30½	32⅜	+ 1¼
Fed Resrces	429	4¾	4⅜	4⅝	+ ⅛
Filmwy .85t	286	7½	6⅝	7½	+ ¾
Frontier Air	137	6¼	5¾	6	+ ⅛
GRICp	391	2⅞	2¾	2¾	— ⅛
GiantYel .10i	311	7¾	7¼	7½	+ ¼
Gladding Cp	515	5¼	4¼	4⅞	+ ⅝
GtBasin Pet	2154	5½	5	5⅛	.....
GtLkCh .28	280	34½	31¾	34½	+ 3¼
Harmn .40b	194	25¼	23⅞	24¾	+ ¾
HartzM .22e	288	13⅞	13	13⅜	+ ¼
HouOilM .80	4782	45	42⅜	43¾	+ 1⅞
HuskyO .80	347	19⅛	17	19	+ 2
HycelInc	145	3⅝	3¼	3⅜	.....
ImpOilA .86	836	18¾	18⅛	18⅝	+ ⅛
Incptern A	102	14⅞	14	14	— ¼
Instrum Sys	1756	7⅝	¾	⅞	.....
IntlBanknot	820	2	1¾	1⅞	.....
Interwag Cp	172	11¼	9⅝	11	+ 1¼
InvDivers A .20e	442	18⅜	16⅜	18⅜	+ 1⅞
Kaisrind .26	x1772	13¾	13	13⅜	+ ⅜
Kewanee .72	2036	34½	32	33⅝	+ ⅜
KinArk Crp	220	13⅜	11¼	13⅜	+ ⅛
LafyRad .26	300	9⅛	7⅜	8⅜	+ ⅞
LeeEntr .52	67	18⅝	18	18	.....
Lincoln Am	218	4	3⅝	3⅞	.....
LoewThewt	882	7⅞	7	7¾	+ ½
Marinduq B	221	1	⅞	15-16	—1-16
McCulO .21t	907	31½	31¼	33⅜	.....
MegoInt .20	301	15¼	14⅜	14⅞	+ ¾
MillerWo .40	x525	22⅞	21½	22¼	+ ⅜
MitchlE	611	41¼	39¼	40	— ¼
NKinney Cp	144	13¾	13⅜	13⅝	.....
Nat Paragn .20	115	11⅛	10¼	10¾	— ⅜
Nat Patent	1022	9⅜	8½	9½	+ ¼
NProc .82e	372	11¾	10⅞	11½	— ⅛
NY Times .60	x236	16⅜	15¼	16¼	+ 1¼
Nolex Cp	116	3⅞	3⅜	3¾	+ ¼
NorCdn Oils	157	7⅛	6⅜	7	.....
OzarkA .10e	237	3⅝	3⅜	3½	.....
PaliCorp .40	379	29½	28¼	29¼	+ 1⅛
PertecCmp	736	7⅜	6½	7	+ ¼
Plant Ind	183	8⅞	8¼	8⅝	— ⅛
Plantrnc .12	147	24¼	23¼	23½	— ⅛
PrenHa 1.12	422	24	22⅝	23⅞	+ ⅝
Presley Cos	547	10⅝	9⅝	9¾	— ¾
ReschCtl .08	1319	19⅜	18½	19	+ ⅜
RisdonM .40	x311	19⅜	16¾	18¾	+ 1¾
Robintech	345	15⅜	13⅛	15	+ 1¼
RyanH .50	354	21½	20½	21½	+ ½
SheerH .20e	371	9¾	9	9⅜	+ ½
Shnandh Oil	1103	28		25½	27⅛	+ 1⅜
Spencer .08e	110	4¾	3⅞	4¾	+ ⅜
Syntex .50	2794	22⅞	20⅛	21¾	+ ⅞
System Eng	235	6⅜	6	6⅛	+ ⅛
Tenna Corp	118	3⅜	3⅛	3⅛	— ¼
TerraC .60a	501	11½	10	11¼	+ 1¼
UIPCp .16	51	3½	3⅜	3⅜	+ ⅛
UnAirPd .56	42	8⅝	8⅜	8½	— ⅛
Un Asbestos	132	3 13-16	3⅜	3 11-16	+ 1-16
UnBrandwt	701	9-16	⅜	7-16	.....
USFiltr .24	5187	13¼	10⅞	12⅞	+ 2⅛
Vernitron	269	4⅜	4	4¼	+ ¼
WTC Inc .10	123	3⅛	2½	2¾	+ ¼
WarCpfC .05	79	4⅞	4¼	4¼	— ¼
Westafs Ptl	529	9¾	9⅝	9¾	+ ⅛

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Grain futures

Closing grain prices at 3 p.m. Friday at the Scott County Milling Company were: wheat, 2.41 in Sikeston; new bid wheat, June and July, 2.38 in Sikeston and 2.45 at the river; yellow corn, 2.31 in Sikeston; oats, 1.80 in Sikeston; barley, 1.80 in Sikeston; rye, 2.20 in Sikeston; soybeans, 6.73 in Sikeston; January soybeans, 6.78 in Sikeston and 6.85 at the river; milo, 3.62 in Sikeston; and January milo 3.75 in Sikeston.

Livestock futures

CATTLE

DATE	DEC	FEB	APR	JUNE
12-3	41.47	41.05	40.07	41.95
12-10	40.75	40.45	39.62	41.55
	.72	.60	.45	.40

HOGS

DATE	DEC	FEB	APR	JUNE
12-3	35.85	33.95	31.57	33.25
12-10	37.05	33.92	31.47	33.10
	+1.20	.03	.10	.15

Additional stocks of local interest

NYSE

	High	Low	Close
Empire Gas	18⅝	17¼	17⅝
Ford Mtrs	58⅜	56½	58⅜
Heublin(Ky Fried Chic.)	41¼	39¾	39⅞
Interco Inc.(P.N. Hirsch)	46⅛	45¼	45¾
Interstate Brands(Hart's Bkry)	15⅜	15¼	15¼
Malone & Hyde	24¼	23	24⅛
Rapid American(Otasco & Britts)	5	4⅛	4⅞
Pillsbury(Burger King)	42	39¾	40⅞
Ramada Inn	4¾	3½	4
Sherwin Williams	43⅛	39⅝	43⅛
Noranda	28¼	27⅞	28⅛

ASE

Kuhn's Big K	7¼	7¼	7¼
Medalist (Caproco)	7¼	7¼	7¼
Mo. Pac.	31½	31⅜	31½

OTC

	BID	ASK
Anheuser Busch	23½	24
Dollar General	9⅜	10
Jerrico(Longjohn Silver)	32½	33¼
Pabst Brewery	22¾	23¼
Reliable Life	11¼	12
Service Master	31½	32½
Sterling Stores	5	5¾
Travel Lodge	8⅞	9⅜
Wetterau	16¼	16¾

Weekly Number of Traded Issues

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N.Y. Stocks	2107
N.Y. Bonds	1649
American Stocks	1165
American Bonds	139

NYSE Leaders

NEW YORK (AP) —The following is a list of the most active stocks based on the dollar volume.

The total is based on the median price of the stock traded multiplied by the shares traded.

Name	Tot($1000)	Sales(hds)	Last
IBM	$103,863	3815	271
Am Tel&Tel	$91,879	14584	63⅞
Gen Motors	$76,263	10376	73¾
Exxon	$51,065	9844	52⅝
Gen Elec	$45,260	8704	53¼
East Kodak	$40,205	4751	84½
McDonald	$37,855	6962	52⅞
Xerox Cp	$37,794	6573	56⅜
Tandy Corp	$36,776	9742	37⅞
Utah Int	$35,395	5435	67
Occiden Pet	$35,076	x16410	21⅞
AtlRichfl	$33,511	5644	59
Kresge SS	$33,375	7853	42⅞
Philip Morr	$33,002	x5323	62⅝
Polaroid	$32,689	8436	38⅞

AMEX Leaders

NEW YORK (AP) —The following is a list of the most active stocks based on the dollar volume.

The total is based on the median price of the stock traded multiplied by the shares traded.

Name	Tot($1000)	Sales(hds)	Last
HouOilM	$20,861	4782	43¾
Kewanee In	$6,769	2036	33⅝
US Filter	$6,224	5187	12⅞
Syntex Corp	$5,902	2794	21¾
Dome Petrl	$5,792	1661	37
Carnation	$4,065	522	78¾
Falcon Sbd	$3,924	1246	32⅜
Shenan Oil	$2,950	1103	27⅛
Imp Chem	$2,585	5107	5¼
Reserch Ctl	$2,506	1319	19

BucyEr	.64	1540	26⅜	25¼	26⅛	+ ¾
BuddCo	1.20	683	19½	18⅝	19¼	+ ½
Bulova	.05j	335	7	6¼	7	+ ¼
Bunk Ramo		400	7¾	7⅛	7¾	+ ½
Burlind	1.40	1099	29⅝	28½	29½	+ ⅞
BurlNo	1.30e	1206	47	45¾	45⅞	.....
Burrghs	.68	2195	91⅞	87⅝	87⅞	—2⅞
ButtesG Oil		608	18¾	18	18⅛	+ 1⅛
— C—C —						
CBS	2	1221	58½	56¼	57¾	+ 1½
CITFin	2.40	x670	38⅞	37½	38¼	+ ⅝
CPC Int	2.30	453	46¼	45	46	+ 1⅛
Cadence Ind		104	3⅝	3¼	3½	— 1⅛
CalFinanl		555	8	7⅝	7⅝	.....
CmpRL .60a		356	26⅜	24¾	25⅝	+ ¾
CamSp 1.48		1092	37⅜	36	37¼	+ 1¼
CaroPw 1.72		1861	24⅛	23¼	24	+ ⅝
CarrCp .64		2876	19⅛	17¾	18⅜	+ ⅝
CartWall .40		298	7	6½	7	+ ⅛
CastlCk .80b		401	15½	15⅛	15¼	.....
CatrpTr 1.50		3609	57	54⅛	54¼	—2⅝
Celanse 2.80		1638	49¾	46⅝	49⅛	+ 2⅜
CenSoW 1.20		4004	17⅞	17⅛	17⅞	+ ¾
Cert-feed .65		x725	22⅛	20½	21½	+ ¾
CessnAir 1.20		775	30⅞	28½	30⅝	+ 1⅞
Champint 1		3634	27⅜	26⅛	27⅛	+ ⅞
ChaseM 2.20		2205	29	26¾	29	+ 1⅜
Chessie 2.32		969	40½	38⅞	40¼	+ 1⅝
ChiPneuT 2		868	27⅝	26⅜	27⅝	+ 1⅜
ChrisCraft		423	6⅜	5⅞	6	.....
Chrysler .30e	

'Natural Blend' shirts developed by cotton producers are making mark on market

NEW YORK — "Natural Blend" shirts, developed by the fiber company of U.S. cotton producers, are making their mark in the apparel industry.

In the summer of 1975, the Manhattan Shirt Co. made its first "Natural Blend" men's woven dress shirt from fabric supplied by Springs Mills. Since then, over 10 million "Natural Blend" shirts have been made from about 23 million yards of fabric.

"Natural Blend" is a trademark of Cotton Inc. for fabric of 60 per cent or more cotton with easy care characteristics.

"Those 10 million shirts are a whale of a success for U.S. cotton producers and their marketing and prommotion efforts," says Reed Hanks, Cotton Inc. director of apparel merchandising.

"Those 10 million shirts mean business taken away from synthetics manufacturers. To make those 23 million yards of fabric it took approximately 16,000 bales of cotton," Hanks says.

"At first, we had to struggle to get one shirt company -- Manhattan -- to offer a 'Natural Blend' shirt. And Manhattan had to convince its mill supplier -- Springs -- to make the fabric," Hanks adds.

"But now we have 12 manufacturers and one chain store supplying 'Natural Blend' shirts, four mills producing the fabric and two converters finishing the fabric. As soon as Cotton Inc. and Manhattan showed tha the consumer wants more cotton, all the other major shirt manufacturers boarded the bandwagon. And with them came the mills," Hanks explains.

Demand is such that Manhattan would like to expand its fabric buying by 50 per cent, but the mills do not have the capacity to supply it, he adds.

The 12 shirt manufacturers include the big three of the industry -- Arrow, Van Heusen and Manhattan -- plus Eagle, Gant, Holbrook, Creighton, Career Club, Enro, Hathaway, Sero and Capital- Mercury. In addition, Montgomery Ward, the nation's third largest chain store, sells its own "Natural Blend" shirt.

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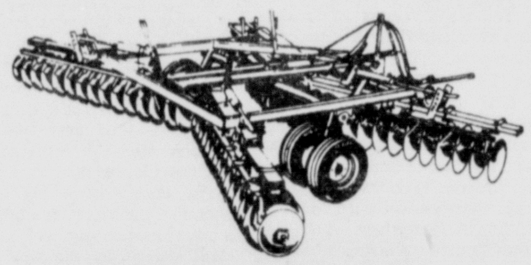
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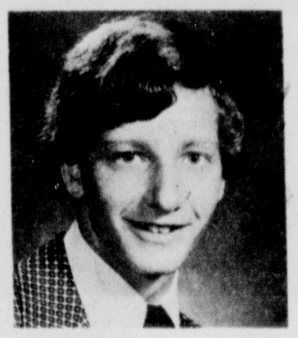
Orders are usually accepted until about Feb. 15. However, the earlier the order is placed, the better the chances will be for securing the kinds of seedlings and bundles desired. Orders will be shipped prepaid to you on a date selected by you.

Application forms listing the various kinds of trees and the bundles available and the price of each which can be used in placing orders are available upon request at the University of Missouri Extension Center in Bloomfield. Information pertaining to the various kinds of trees and bundles available and how to plant them are also available at extension centers.

Blunt asks for cotton reports

NEW MADRID — Larry Blunt, director of the New Madrid County Agricultural Stabilization Conservation Service Office urges all county farmers who have not previously reported their 1976 cotton production, to report their production for each farm as soon as possible. Cotton cards have been distributed to each gin and Blunt requests that each farmer deliver his report of production to the ASCS Office.



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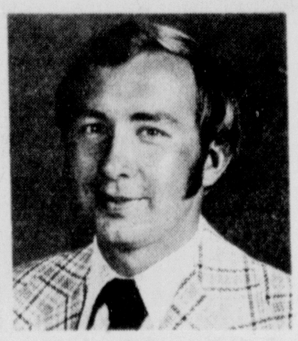

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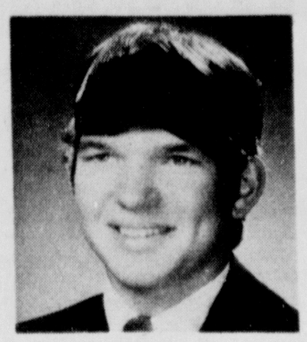

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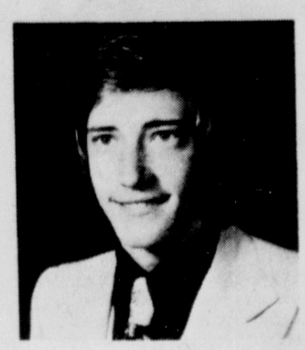

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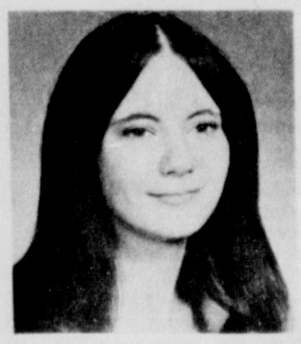

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7 Missouri 4-Her's claim scholarships

CHICAGO — Seven 4-H members from Missouri claimed $5,400 in scholarships at the 55th National 4-H Congress Nov. 28-Dec. 2. Each was named a winner in programs arranged by the National 4-H Service Committee and supervised by the Cooperative Extension Service.

Selected for their accomplishments in 4-H projects and activities, leadership development and growth in personal, community and civic responsibilities, 276 winners nationwide shared $215,000 in educational grants.

Missouri's national winners, the amounts of their grants, the program in which they won honors, and the donors of awards were:

Mary Simon, 20, of Sedalia, $800, agribusiness, DeKalb AgResearch, Inc.: David Buckman, 19, of Shelbina, $800, dairy, Insurance Co. of North America; Dereck Allbee, 17, of Greenwood, $800, health, Eli Lilly and Co.; and Sally Jean Potter, 23, of Columbia and Vincil M. Wilt, 22, of Shelbina, both winners of $1,000, Lassie 4-H veterinary medicine scholarships donated by Champion Valley Farms, Inc.

Winners of $500 scholarships given by Santa Fe Railway System were Jane Gray, 19, of Higginsville and Kurtis W. Holiman, 18, of Columbia.

During their visit to the Windy City, the 4-H'ers toured the museums and other points of interest. They sang together, worshiped together and rapped with business executives and other delegates from across the country.

With the theme, 4-H--Room to Grow, the five-day event provided a balanced program of education, inspiration and recognition. Special emphasis was given America's free enterprise system by Keynoter Russell G. Mawby, president, W.K. Kellogg Foundation, at Sunday's opening assembly.

Delegates enjoyed varied entertainment and music. The Nashville Brass was presented by Tupperware Home Parties, and Maynard Ferguson and his orchestra by International Paper Co. General Motors Corp. delighted delegates with performances by The Spurrlows and Miss America. International Harvester Co. hosted a luncheon and The Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., a breakfast for some 2,200 persons attending the 4-H Congress.

Delegates and leaders became acquainted at a party given by Standard Brands Inc., and they were entertained by the Purdue Collegiate Singers and The Purdettes, courtesy of American Income Life Insurance Co.

Missouri's delegates enjoyed a hot dog and soft drink party given by Ford Motor Co., an evening at Chicago's Art Institute, sponsored by First National Bank of Chicago, and numerous tours.

A National 4-H Fashion Revue--Fashions with a Future--staged by Simplicity Pattern Co., was a hit with all. Fifty-two winners modeled their own ensembles which included Missouri's Monic Phillippe, 16, of Columbia.

The Congress closed with the naming of six presidential award winners, a banquet and farewell party.

'77 will be very good year for cotton

RALEIGH, N.C. — When the new year rolls in, U.S. cotton producers can look back on 1976 as the best year for prices they have ever had.

But they will also have a lot to look forward to.

"The new year should be a very good cotton year,even with expanded plantings," says David Cox, Cotton Inc. vice president of economic research and development.

Cotton Inc. is the fiber company of U.S. cotton producers.

"Some producers are fearful that if they plant more next year, the bottom will drop out of the market. A look at the worldwife conditions shows that there is enough demand in the market to sustain increased plantings at even better average prices," Cox says.

Demand for cotton by U.S. consumers has given cotton its best year since 1972 in terms of share of the overall fiber market, Cox points out. And demand overseas for cotton is growing faster than foreign production can increase, he adds.

Cox comments that in the past foreign production has not been as responsive to market needs as U.S. production has been. He attributes this partly to the agricultural policies of the two largest cotton producers in the world, China and the Soviet Union, the policies tie cotton production to five-year plans that limit responsiveness to market conditions.

Together, China and the U.S.S.R. account for almost half of all foreign cotton production, Cox says.

"Limited foreign production means that cotton- importing nations will depend on the United States to meet their increase in demand," Cox explains.

From the farmer's standpoint, cotton is now one of the most attractive crops to grow, Cox points out.

For the first three quarters of 1976, cotton prices paid to farmers averaged almost 60 cents a pound. With strong fourth quarter prices, the year's final average should top 60 cents for the first time in U.S. history, Cox says.

"Cotton prices paid to producers for 1976 are running almost 80 per cent higher than the prices of 1973. And, if you compare the increased value of cotton with other crops, you see why cotton is getting so attractive to grow," he says. "Since 1973, average producer prices of wheat have gone up only six per cent, while producer prices for soybeans have actually dropped 16 per cent."

Cox suggests that cotton producers contract a portion of their 1977 crop, on either a bale or acreage basis, as one good way of ensuring prices over 60 cents a pound. He also recommends that producers consider contracts on a call basis.

Copies of model contracts and a guide to call contracting are available from the Division of Economic Research and Development, Cotton Inc., 4505 Creedmoor Road, Raleigh, N.C. 27612.

Copies of the monthly Cotton Summary published by Cotton Inc. are also available.

Farm leader named

JEFFERSON CITY — David Swearingin of Carrollton was appointed chairman of the Missouri Farm Bureau Young Farmers state committee at the Missouri Farm Bureau's 62nd annual convention.

Along with his brother Charles, David operates Swearingin Bros. Farms Inc., where they feed out 2,000 head of hogs annually, and raise corn and beans on 700 acres of land.

The Swearingin family has been active in the Missouri Farm Bureau for many years, David having served as the Carroll County Young Farmers chairman for two years. David and his wife Peggy have a three-month-old daughter, Ann Lynette.

The 62nd annual meeting of the 61,000-member farm organization was held at Tan-Tar-A Lodge on the Lake of the Ozarks' Nov. 28-30, with more than 1,000 Missouri farm people attending.

As chairman of the young farmer committee, Swearingin will be an advisory member on the Missouri Farm Bureau state board of directors, and with the 14 young farmer couple state committee, they will plan and carry out their own annual Missouri Farm Bureau Young Farmers Convention in February at Tan-Tar-A Lodge.

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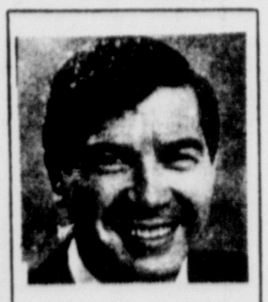
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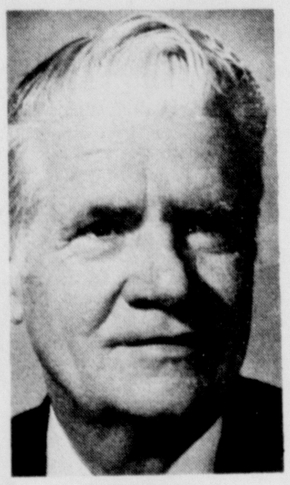
Business

Jarvis is reelected to Best Western board

PHOENIZ, Ariz. — Earl Jarvis was recently re-elcted to another term on Best Western's board of directors.



Earl Jarvis

Co-owner of the Best Western El- Capri Motel in Sikeston, Mo., Jarvis represents 231 Best Westerns located in Missouri, Arkansas, Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota. The board of directors governs 1,783 Best Western motels, hotels and resorts throughout the United States, Canada, Mexico, Australia, New Zealand and the Caribbean.

Jarvis served as president of Best Western, Inc. during 1976. Under his direction, plans were finalized and construction began on Best Western's $10 million international headquarters-motor hotel complex in Phoeniz.

Also, a new group and tour marketing department was established, and Best Western's International Marketing and Reservations Center generated $46 million in room sales, a 36 per cent increase over 1975 volume. Over 250 top-quality properties joined best Western in 1976, strengthening the company's lead over Holiday Inns as the largest lodging chain in the world.

Associated with Best Western for 19 years, Jarvis has served on previous boards as first vice president and secretary-treasurer. Locally, he is president of Jarvis Motor co. in Sikeston, and is active in the Masons, the Missouri Chamber of Commerce and church, hospital and college groups. He is an elder of First Christian Church in Sikeston and a member of the board of directors of the National Board of church Extension of the Disciples of Christ. Jarvis is listed in Who's Who In Missouri.

Proctor & Gamble announce plans to expand at Cape

CAPE GIRARDEAU — The Proctor & Gamble Paper Products Co. has announced plans to expand its facilities at the Cape Girardeau plant, beginning early next spring.

Plant Manager Jim Bowman stated that the new addition is needed "to accommodate the expanding business needs of the company."

The new addition will add approximately 114,000 square feet of warehouse space to the plant and increase the capacity for loading and unloading rail cars within the plant. After completion, the plant will have approximately 25 acres under roof.

This is the third major expansion of the Cape Girardeau facility since the original construction was completed in August 1969. In 1972, a 225,000-square foot expansion was announced, and again in February, 1975, a 325,000-square foot expansion was approved. This latter expansion is currently in progress.

The construction contract has been awarded to Fruin-Colnon Corp. of St. Louis. The Cape Girardeau plant produces Pampers Disposal Diapers.

Bicentennial Silver Dollar Sale set for Monday

Kingsway Mall merchants, in cooperation with First National Bank, will sponsor the second annual Silver Dollar Sale at the Mall Monday. Roger Tolliver, left, and Phyllis Jones are shown counting the 3,000 Bicentennial Silver Dollars which will be sold for 90 cents each with a limit of two per person. The sale will be conducted in three one-hour intervals 10-11 a.m., 12-1 p.m. and 5-6 p.m.

Bank of Bernie opens new drive-in facility on Dec. 4

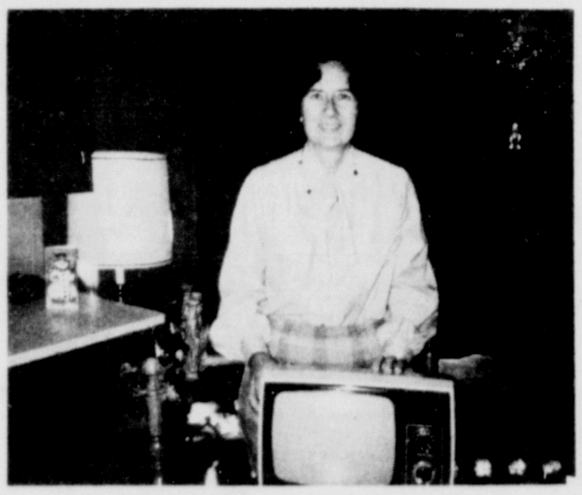
BERNIE — A ribbon- cutting ceremony was held Dec. 4 to mark the opening of the State Bank of Bernie drive-in facility on Highway 25 South.

The ribbon was cut by Mayor R. B. Woods Jr. Directors Leo Boeving and James Belknap of Poplar Bluff, Mrs. Helen Waller of Malden and Charles Rushing of Bernie attended. Other directors are R.W. Beall of Memphis, Tenn. and Jack Waller of Malden.

Doughnuts and coffee were served.

Mrs. Pat Miller Rushing will be a full-time employe at the facility, with alternate help from the main bank. All banking services will be available with the exception of loans, which are available at the main bank.

The drive-in facility opened for business Dec. 6.



Wins new TV!

Mrs. Gordon Beaver, 305 Kramer Drive., won one of the television sets being given away during House of Carpet's second anniversary sale. House of Carpet, located at 522 Smith St., will hold a drawing to give away a second television Dec. 23 at the conclusion of a two-month-long anniversary sale.

TO ALL MISSOURI COTTON PRODUCERS

If you were a producer of cotton during 1976, you will have the opportunity to vote in an upcoming referendum to increase the current $1.00 a bale assessment for promotion and research of cotton.

If the referendum is approved, the increased assessment would amount to four-tenths of one percent of the value of cotton, with the funds to be used to strengthen cotton's competitive position and expand domestic and foreign markets for cotton.

Your "YES" vote means all cotton producers can make contributions for research and the promotion of cotton. Or, may request a refund of their money. A "NO" vote deprives producers of this promotional opportunity and weakens their competitive position for getting better prices in 1977.

We urge all producers to vote "YES" in the December 13th to 17th cotton referendum.

For more information - contact your County Farm Bureau office or the county ASC office.

Faberge, Inc. expects hike in '76 earnings

NEW YORK — George Barrie, chairman of the board of directors and chief executive officer of Faberge, Inc. stated, at a Nov. 30 meeting of security analysts and other members of the financial community at the Faberge offices, that the company expects a substantial improvement in net earnings for 1976 as compared to the prior year.

This expectation takes into account the effect of major foreign currency devaluations, the petition under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Act of the company which acquired the "Polly Bergen" business from Faberge's subsidiary, and a loss for Brut Productions, Inc., the company's entertainment subsidiary.

It was also announced at the meeting that gross sales of Faberge's new Babe fragrance line will exceed $10 million in 1976.

Ozark Air Lines passes one billion mark

ST. LOUIS — During November, Ozark Air Lines surpassed one billion revenue passenger miles flown in a year for the first time and set a daily passenger boarding record of 15,829 on Nov. 24. In addition, a record load factor of 82 per cent was set by the company on Nov. 28, according to Edward J. Crane, president and chief executive officer.

Passenger enplanements totaled 313,088 during November, a 13 per cent increase over 278,063 in the same month last year. The year-to-date total through November was 3,486,429 passengers, a 14 per cent increase over 3,073,917 enplanements during January-November, 1975.

Operations during November produced 96,494,000 revenue passenger miles, an increase of 18 per cent over 82,067,000 in November 1975. Available seat miles increased 18 per cent during the month to 191,626,000, compared with 162,077,000 last year.

Revenue passenger miles through the first 11 months totaled 1,080,224,000. This was a 22 per cent increase over 883,322,000 produced during the same time last year. In this same 11-month period, available seat miles totaled 2,074,219,000, up 14 per cent over comparable figures of 1,824,366,000 last year.

The load factor during November was 50.4 per cent, compared to 50.6 per cent in the same month last year. The 11-month figures show a load factor of 52.1 per cent, increasing 3.7 points from 48.4 per cent during the same time last year.

Security analysts search for discounted equity

By CROCKETT SCOTT

The bears and bulls expound in depth and detail about market direction, but the more astute traders and Securities and Exchange Commission-registered security analysts just continue the search for discounted equity.

"Nobody really knows when the market is going up or down," says one of their number, "but common sense tells us that when you buy a pair of Florsheim shoes below market, you are making money.

"And the same is true in common stocks. Take Schering Plough, for instance."

Memphis' own Schering-Plough, rated "A-plus" by Standard & Poor's is selling at a considerable discount--in the low 40's--from its mid 50's level back last February, and as Memphis SEC-registered security analysts emphasize, one would have to look in many areas to find a higher quality common stock.

Schering Plough's product mix of drugs, cosmetics and toiletries should sell in bad times as well as good, note the analysts. And when you can pick up the stock at a discount, it would appear to be a buy.

There has been a common stock dividend since 1952 for holders of Schering Plough.

Crocker National, a leading bank holding company in California, trades around 25, six points or so below book, which, according to Standard & Poor's, was $31.81 a share, as of Dec. 31, 1975.

Several years ago, Crocker National traded up into the 50's. A number of St. Louis SEC-registered security analysts suggest West Coast inquiries on this equity, both from banking institutions and investment banking firms.

Famed old Schlitz Brewing, selling in the mid teens and down from an earlier year level around 24, could be a wise year-end acquisition, in the view of some Kansas City SEC-registered analysts.

Schlitz has such a prominent name that the stock at 16 or so appears to be money in the bank, according to Kansas City investment people.

And Schlitz, they note, has been paying a dividend since 1933.

A common stock which has not reached its potential but which could be a worthy investment for possibly the long term, as well as for training accounts (in the view of some Chicago SEC-registered analysts) is GAF Corp., formerly known as General Aniline & Film.

The stock trades on the big board around 12-13. Back in February, GAF rose to about 16, and during 1975, the high was 18.

GAF is engaged in building products and chemicals, along with film and photo equipment and business systems.

Chicago investment people are impressed with GAF's technical knowhow, and its management potential. "Some day," notes one of their number," GAF could get off the ground and soar."

A favored short-term holding of a number of Cincinnati SEC-registered security analysts is Simplicity Pattern, which some of their number are acquiring now around 15. The stock traded up into the 22-23 area earlier in the year.

The fact that trading has been heavy in the stock of recent date is considered a favorable omen in their view.

Simplicity Pattern, one of the world's foremost producers of apparel patterns for women, has paid a dividend since 1945, and obtains an "A" rating by Standard & Poor's.

The equity of a big name chemical producer, available at a sizeable discount, is Rhom & Haas, trading on the New York Stock Exchange around 45, in contrast with a high of 76 earlier in the year.

Earnings have been erratic, which stockbrokers explain, has motivated many holders to unload. The stock is rated "A minus" by Standard & Poor's.

Is Rohm & Haas a buy? Some investment people suggest it worthy of study; leaving the investment decision to the individual.

West Alton man is elected to Farm Credit Bank board

ST. LOUIS — Herbert Farley, a West Alton farmer, has been elected a director of the farm Credit Banks of St. Louis, according to an announcement by Glenn E. Heitz, chairman of the presidents committee. Farley's election was by the Production Credit Associations in Arkansas, Illinois and Missouri, the three states which comprise the Sixth farm Credit District.

Farley will begin his first three-year term as a director on Jan. 1, 1977. He will serve as a director of The Federal Land Bank of St. Louis, the federal Intermediate Credit Bank of St. Louis and the St. Louis Bank for Cooperatives.

Farley is a native of Peoria, Mo. He graduated from Riverview High School and has attended all Production Credit Association director institutes and various University of Missouri short courses.

He owns and operates a 1,300-acre farm with principal crops of corn, wheat, soybeans and milo. He also has an automated cattle feeding operation and annually feeds out approximately 600 head.

Farley serves as vice chairman of the board of directors of Valley Production Credit Association of St. Charles. He is a member of the Farm Bureau, Missouri Farmers Association and the Bellefontaine United Methodist Church. He is a past board member of the Cooperative Levee District and serves on the boards of the Community Church and the Orchard farm school District.

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WATCH YOUR POCKETBOOKS!!

There are some signs that, after conferring with various and sundry officials in Washington, President-Elect James Earl Carter has mellowed considerably from his high-flying campaign "promises." We can but hope that between now and inauguration day he will "mellow" a great deal more.

Consider, for example, these excerpts from a news story, with headlines from a UPI dispatch from Boston:

"Massachusetts Banking On Carter Aid — Expecting Sudden Bonanza of Federal Funds ... Boston (UPI) — Massachusetts political leaders are looking to President-elect Jimmy Carter to be an economic rainmaker who will bring new life and growth to the fiscally despressed state ...

"Massachusetts hasn't had it so good since the New Frontier days of the Kennedy White House.

"A federal takeover of the (Massachusetts) welfare system alone — one of Carter's goals — would free up to an estimated $1 billion annually in state funds. A national health insurance program would further ease tax burden.

"And that's only the beginning..."

Shortly after the above news story appeared, a number of big city mayors, including Boston's, met for the purpose of bringing pressure upon the new Carter administration for Federal funds to bail them out of financial difficulties.

Apparently, the Massachusetts politicians are still laboring under the illusion that we, the American people, have such unlimited personal income that we can be taxed for more and more money, above the taxes we are paying now, so that they can continue their spend thrift habits which got them into their financial binds in the first place.

Perhaps they didn't hear the other campaign promise made by Carter to lower taxes.

Well, gentlemen, it can't be both ways. The only real solution is to stop spending money like drunken sailors and to begin to run the various city and state governments in a financially responsible manner. If the politicians in "Taxachusetts" think that people in other states are going to pay for their financial foolishness, then they have, as our favorite Grandmother used to say, "another think coming!"

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Overheard at the coffee table: Considering all the medicare, welfare and social security, if you aren't sick, poor and old you don't have a future.

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We go forward within the framework of our unalterable commitment to the defense of Europe and to the reunification of Germany. But America and Western Europe have achieved the strength and self- confidence to follow a course based on hope rather than hostility, based on opportunity rather than fear. It is our belief that wise and skillful development of relationships with the nations of Eastern Europe can speed the day when Germany will be reunited.

Lyndon B. Johnson

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Soybean Bill figures why politicians dread high unemployment - they fear they may be next.

Art Buchwald

THE SURVIVAL GAME

WASHINGTON— We are now in a lame duck situation in Washington and it affects every part of government life. The pace is slower, there is a reluctance to make decisions, and there is a tendency on the part of civil service employees to keep their distance from Ford appointees on the off-chance that the new Carter appointees might feel that they were Ford people all along.

The name of the game in Washington is survival. And this is how many civil service employees are playing it.

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"What secretary?"

"The secretary of the treasury. He says it's urgent."

"Okay, where's his office?"

"You know damn well where his office is. You've been up there every day for four years apple polishing him"

"That's a lie and you know it, Turtleman. If anyone has been apple polishing the secretary it's been you. I doubt if I've met with the secretary more than three times since he's been here. I hardly know what he looks like."

"Well, he asked for you by name."

"How did he get my name?"

"I told it to him. He asked me who was in charge of Balance of Payments to North Africa, and I gav him the information."

"You could have said you didn't know, Turtleman. Now you've got me in a real fix. I'll be seen going in and out of the secretary's office and in an hour it will be all over the building."

"So what? It will show that the secretary trusts you."

"I don't want anyone to know the secretary trusts me. How do you think the Carter people will feel if they find out that Ford's secretary of the treasury trusted me? You're out for my job, Turtleman."

"I am not out for your job. But how would it look if I told the secretary I didn't know the name of the person who was in charge of our Balance of Payments to North Africa? The Carter people would hear about it and think I was a real dumdum."

"Why do you think the secretary wants to see me?"

"My own feeling is that he would like to see **anybody**. Every time he asks to see a civil service employee he's been told the person is out to lunch. Frankly, I think he's kind of lonely."

"Why don't the Carter transition people want to see me?"

"They do, but there're so many people waiting in their office that they can't get around to seeing everybody. Why don't you find an excuse to call them?"

"That's a good idea. What excuse should I use?"

"Why don't you tell them the secretary wants to see you and ask them what you should do about whatever he wants to see you about?"

"That's a splendid idea. I'll call them now.

"Carter transition? Listen, I just got a call from Secretary What's-his-name-- you know, Ford's appointee? He wants to see me and I thought you should know about it. No, I don't know what he wants to talk to me about, but I assure you whatever it is I'll tell him what he can do about it. My name is Carstairs -- C-a-r-s-t-a-i-r-s-- almost like in Carter, and I have an aunt who lives in Atlanta. I wanted you know where I'd be just in case you were looking for me."

Ten minutes later:

"Mr. Secretary, you sent for me?"

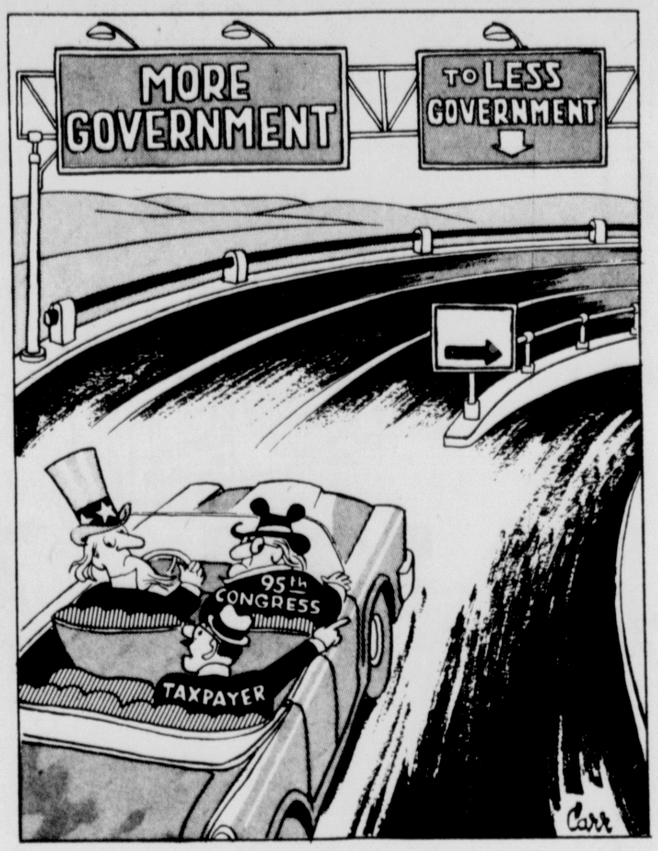
"Yes, Carstairs, I just wanted to tell you how much I enjoyed working with you."

"Oh, my God, you're not going to put it in writing, are you?"

"I thought it would look good in your record book."

"Please, Mr. Secretary. Not in my record book."

"Okay, if that's the way you want it. Oh, there's one more thing, Carstairs. Have you got time for a game of gin rummy?"



TOMORROW
DECEMBER 13— MONDAY

HEINE, HEINRICH: BIRTHDAY. Dec 13. German author, born, Dusseldorf, Dec 13, 1797. Died, Paris, Feb 17, 1856.

MEETING OF THE ELECTORS. Dec 13. On the Monday following the second Wednesday in December, in presidential election years, the Electors formally cast their ballots for president and vice-president of the United States, in their respective state capitals. The Electors ballots will be transmitted "to the Seat of the Government of the United States, directed to the President of the Senate," who, "in the presence of the Senate and House of Representatives," at 1 p.m. on the January 6 following the election, officially counts the electoral votes and announces the result, legally completing the election process if any candidate has received a majority of the 538 Electoral votes.

SWEDEN: ST. LUCIA'S DAY Dec 13.

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IN SEARCH OF ANSWERS
From The Los Angeles Times

The long voyage of Viking I has come to a triumphant end, and the search for life on worlds beyond our planet is approaching a dramatic beginning.

The conclusion of Viking's journey to Mars came at 4:53 a.m. on Tuesday, July 20, a day to remember. Onto the surface of the Red Planet, 212,000,000 miles from earth, a carefully sterilized spacecraft settled gently into safe haven amid rocks and chasms and peaks. The spacecraft is really a 1300-pound laboratory, crammed with instruments able to sense, measure and analyze the Martian environment.

Within 19 minutes, radio signals traveling at 186,000 miles a second gave scientists at the Jet Propulsion Laboratory in Pasadena the news that the landing had been a success. A little later, the first pictures from the surface of Mars began to appear line-by-line on monitors at JPL-pictures of spectacular clarity and detail, pictures of stark and moving splendor. Nothing like them had been seen before.

The brief photographic survey of the landing site and the Martian horizon is only a start, the first accrual of information that is expected to grow into a treasury of new scientific knowledge. To come are a series of careful measurements of the physical characteristics of Mars: wind and moisture, temperature and magnetic properties, seismic activity and pressure.

The exploration has been long in the planning, and expensive to mount—eight years of preparation, at a cost of 1 billion dollars. A second Mars landing is planned in September, and others may follow in time.

It is all, we think unquestionably worthwhile, for what will be learned about Mars itself, for what insights may be gained about the evolution of our own planet.

The search is only about to begin. The achievement already has been remarkable, the effort at discovery yet to come could be spectacular.

No sentient person has ever looked to the heavens without wondering what was there. Viking I is a response to that sense of wonder, a tiny but momentous step toward a butter understanding of the unimaginably vast universe, a great leap forward in scientific progress.

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IF A CHILD LIVES

Why do some youngsters grow up to be well-adjusted adults, while others go wrong? There is no simple answer to this question, but most psychologists agree that children are inclined to follow the example set by their parents. With this thought in mind, perhaps, an unknown writer created this list of cause-effect observations:

If a child lives with hostility, he learns to fight.

If a child lives with criticism, he learns to condemn.

If a child lives with fear, he learns to be apprehensive.

If a child lives with jealousy, he learns to hate.

If a child lives with self-pity, he learns to be sorry for himself.

If a child lives with encouragement, he learns self-confidence and integrity.

If a child lives with praise, he learns to be appreciative.

If a child lives with acceptance, he learns to love.

If a child lives with approval, he learns to like himself.

If a child lives with fairness, he learns justice.

If a child lives with honesty, he learns what truth is.

If a child lives with friendliness, he learns that the world is a nice place in which to live.

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HE WHO SMILES BEST

Among the many legends of the past there is one of the dour king. Too late in life he realized that many hours might have been much more pleasnt for him if he had only learned to smile as a youth.

To make sure that his own two sons would not develop such an austere personality, he talked to them about their future responsibilities. He told them that only a pleasant, cheerful, helpful king was really a good king. He promised that the one who best learned how to smile would one day take his place.

Eager to become king, one youth spent hours before a mirror in his room practicing a big, broad smile. He went to the theatre at night to observe the smiles on the faces of the singers and dancers. He watched how their white teeth showed when the bright lights were on them, but how quickly those smiles vanished when they moved back into the shadows. He liked their smiles and he enlisted the aid of a dramatic coach to make his own look as natural and pleasing. And he used his smile on everyone he met.

The king observed this son's smile, especially its mechanical perfection. He noted that it vanished as quickly as it came—vanished the instant he turned away from one person and was back again the instant he met another. The smile was there on his face all right, a cold, calculated, selfish smile. It was there whenever he could use it, it was gone the minute he did not need it. It was only face deep, and the king was disturbed.

Now the second boy thought the best way to learn to smile was by observing why others smiled. He learned that people usually smile when pleased and happy about something. So he began to speak those little pleasantries to people which make them feel a little better and coaxes a smile to their face. He noticed also that little courtesies usually bring a smile to another's face, and he never overlooked an opportunity to be courteous. Although he was not fully aware of it, the smiles of others were contagious and his own face caught them. A friendly twinkle came into his eyes and a warm, sincere expression possessed his face. While his smile was sometimes slow in coming, it lingered even after he had waved good-bye to the other person. His smile was more than face deep. It came from his heart.

The old king saw this and he was no longer disturbed. He mulled over in his mind words of wisdom: We help ourselves by helping others. He smiles best who brings a smile to the face of someone else.

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We WERE encouraged when, having arrived at that age, we were told that "fifty is the youth of old age." That is why we think readers as well as ourselves will appreciate our front cover which illustrates our page 3 article with its title: The Childhood of Immortality.

While we were contemplating this, there came to our desk the following poetic observation on the subject of old age, written by Captain Harry Brocksieck, corps officer at Richmond, Indiana, and vice president of the Wayne County Council on Aging. He writes:

"Age is a symbol of Life's Journey.

Age fulfills some people
Age makes some people deep
Age makes some people patient
Age makes some people kind
Age makes some people creative
Age makes some people wise
Age destroys some people
Age takes smiles from the face
bounce from the step
thoughts from the head
work from the hands
laughter from the heart
The joy and happiness of life
The sorrow and pain of life
The care and concern of life
The giving and receiving of life have mingled with each personality in some degree to fulfill or destroy.

There are those with age who are fulfilled and fulfill those around them.

There are those with age who are destroyed and destroy those around them.

Age describes some people.
You can tell an older person—
There is a lonely look
There is a saddened heart,
There is a weakened hand,
There is an absent smile,
There is a slowed step,
There is a teary eye.
Yes, age describes some people.
You can tell an older person—
There is the fulfilled look,
There is the deepened heart,
There is the serving hand,
There is the broader smile,
There is the experienced step,
There is the sparkling eye."

It has been said that in old age there is no radical change in personality; we remain what we always were— only more so. And there's the rub, because in becoming "more so" we become more aware of what we always were and react either with "saddened heart" or "sparkling eye."

But is all lost? Can there be no transformation, even yet, though truth has been seen so late? Probably not, if it is assumed that the few years of life left is all there is. Without hope incentive vanishes.

To regard old age as "the childhood of immortality," however, changes all that. Some believe that in the life to come there is opportunity for progress, but even for those of us who believe in the irreversible nature of the future state, there is the fact that "while there's life there's hope."

What thrill comes, however, when, instead of "living in the past" with its nostalgic as well as remorseful memories, we look to the future in anticipation of unimaginable delights!

The poet might have been speaking anthropomorphically, but he was thinking spiritually when he wrote of the heavenly country that "one-half of that city's bright glories to mortals has never been told."

One half of me (see Philippians 1:23, 24) can't wait to get there.

War Cry

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"Those who expect to reap the blessings of freedom must undergo the fatigue of supporting it."

Thomas Paine

WASH AND DRY

We had searched the house over for six-year-old Jimmy's birthday dollar. Then I remembered having washed and dried a pair of jeans.

I explained to Jimmy that if the dollar had been through both machines, it would probably be torn to pieces. But he ran to check anyway. Soon he came running upstairs, clutching the clear, crisp bill and shouting, "Hurray! I found it in the dryer, and it's still alive!"

Mrs. George Houck

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"My brother-in-law is a relief pitcher. Every week he goes down to the unemployment office and makes a different pitch."

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LOW SALES DIET

"Are you on a diet?" asked the salesman's friend, when he saw him eating milk and crackers. "No," was the reply. "On commission."

Herm Albright

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DOUBLE FAULT
From the Miami Herald

A TENNIS BUFF who broke a lace in his fancy German sneakers was surprised to find that a pair of new shoestrings now costs 65 cents in a Coconut Grove shop. Back in the days of Bill Tilden and Alice Marble, some frugal men could start a business on a shoestring. Nowadays, who can afford it?

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Why this fuss about developing a car that does away with gasoline? We own one already.

Sun Magazine

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Potomac Puzzle:

Carter's insiders stall payment to Labor Chiefs on political IOUs

WASHINGTON — It was Auld Lang Syne time for Nelson Rockefeller last Friday. Good friend Frank "Fitz" Fitzsimmons, the truck drivers' prexy, left the Teamsters' marble chancellery for a 45-minute morning visit with the Vice President in the old Executive Office Building. Much sighing. Small talk.

And later that day the Vice President and his young labor counselor, Bobby Armao, went over to the famed "Eight Floor" of Labor's house and more small talk with George Meany, AFL-CIO chieftain who once had hoped that Nelson would make it but actually elected Jimmy Carter, instead.

More small talk. What could they say? Neither of them had heard from the President-elect. No one in the Carter camp of any decision-making power had made a personal contact. Not the man himself. Not his eminence grise, Charlie Kirbo. Nobody had asked for advice or input or appeared to be in any hurry to repay labor for last fall's election IOUs.

It hadn't gone unnoticed that there wasn't a single "labor economist" among the 16 specialists invited to Plains Wednesday, Dec. 1, for analysis and debriefing. Many Ivy League professors. Many Brookings Institution types. And Irving Shapiro, chairman of both DuPont and the low-visibility, influential Business Roundtable (at which sit some 150 of the nation's most successful corporate chief executives). But not one economist from inside labor.

Certainly Harvard's own perpetual peripatetic Professor John T. Dunlop had been among the 16 braintrusters. But he was there as a former Secretary of Labor and university chap. Further, it isn't even certain he will be the incoming Labor Secretary -- one of the most powerful, indeed, if not all-powerful, government posts once it's in the hands of an aggressive appointee. Somehow the public just doesn't dig that.

There are two other candidates for the labor secretaryship in Jimmy Carter's special dossier. One is the 55-year-old, Kentucky-born professor of economics, vice president of Duke University at Durham, N.C., Mrs. Juanita M. Kreps. The records show her as a member of the National Manpower Committee Task Force.

This manpower ploy is the thing. For, also among the three names being circulated by the Carter input putters in the Congress is Prof. Ray Marshall, University of Texas specialist in development of rural manpower training, apprenticeships and job creation. Long active in Austin, he's still in his early forties, and is eager for the Labor Department post.

As a "manpower economist" at the university he was quickly picked up by the Carter talent scouts. Now he's the expert on what appears to be the first Carter effort to create jobs -- take power from the local authorities in the distribution of "CETA" money. CETA is the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act.

The act creates a fabulous machine. It needs Congressional repassage this spring. Billions of dollars would be available -- if handled right by some central headquarters in Washington -- to pour into the nation's inner cities. Thus the new Administration can deal directly with the community leaders instead of permitting mayors and city machines to funnel the funds.

So a position paper on CETA was among the first of two requests of the Carter U.S. Labor Dept. transition team. Obviously Jimmy Carter could deliver directly to local black leaders everywhere as he had promised. In this fashion he would be binding these communities directly to himself and the White House.

Where does this leave Prof. Dunlop, the hard hats' friend? Under attack from angry women's rights and black leaders, Dr. Dunlop's strength has been his ability to keep the 10,000 AFL-CIO Building and Construction Department locals in line by working with the general presidents of the 17 affiliated national unions.

He's been their staunch friend and ally. When as Secretary of Labor he couldn't convince President Ford to sign the common situs extended picketing powers bill, he resigned earlier this year. And he has fought for the rights of construction workers who fear being bumped by women and minority workers seeking to leapfrog seniority under the 1964 Civil Rights Act and Federal Affirmative Action programs. Now he's taking his wallops.

But a Dunlop package could be wrapped up. There's talk of the influential Labor Dept. undersecretaryship going to 42-year-old William Lucy, who as secretary-treasurer of Wurf's militant American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employes, is the nation's top black labor leader.

But it's all a tight poker game. No one knows who will draw what from the Carter deck. Not even George Meany -- he observes this silently, much like the ageless lama in Shangri-la.

There's considerable significance here. This means that Mr. Carter truly is departmentalizing his operation. Some labor people charge him with provincialism. They note that they've interests far wider than the Labor Dept.

They want input on many other Cabinet departments. Some recall that Dick Nixon had promised to place a top labor man high in each Cabinet arena. He began. But he was finished before he could deliver on his promises made to labor men during leisurely golfing hours at Burning Tree links.

Thus it went these past few days. Someone casually remarked to young Bobby Armao, "Well, now whom will we rush to for all those little things?" These "little things" are the inner service of the White House, the contacts, the contracts, the reaching out, the daily delivery. No one knows who will be delivering. Yet on such little things depends the mood of big labor now awaiting payment on the IOUs it holds. So don't mistake the quietude for any pre-holiday political charity. Mr. Carter will learn soon enough, labor intends to collect. When it strikes, it strikes hard.

WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Organized Crime Controversy

by Jack Anderson and Les Whitten

WASHINGTON -- A bitter, blazing controversy has erupted inside the Justice Dept. over how to combat organized crime.

In theory, the special strike forces are supposed to mobilize the resources of the federal government to disrupt underworld operations and to bear down on the crime lords. The strike force chiefs believe this requires a concentrated, coordinated, national effort without interference from politically appointed U.S. attorneys.

Most U.S. attorneys, on the other hand, want to bring the strike forces under tighter control. They are supported by Richard Thornburgh, chief of the Justice Dept.'s criminal division.

In recent months, he has revised and restricted the investigative guidelines. He has also closed down the strike forces in St. Louis and New Orleans, and has given the U.S. attorneys in Newark and New York City jurisdiction over the strike forces in their cities.

This has outraged the strike force chiefs, who look upon themselves as professionals free of political pressure. It has also upset Internal Revenue Commissioner Donald Alexander, whose agents are helping the strike forces bring the crime bosses to justice. He told us the New Orleans strike force, for example, was developing several important cases.

In a blunt, confidential memorandum endorsed by all the strike force chiefs, Michael DeFeo of the Los Angeles strike force warned that the new guidelines would "initially reduce the effectiveness of the organized crime program."

He charged that the guidelines would exclude "associates and confederates of organized crime members." But his greatest concern, according to the memo, was that Thornburgh's moves would "ultimately abolish" the strike force program "by dividing its control among the individual United States attorneys."

The new guidelines, approved recently by Attorney General Edward Levi, limit the definition of organized crime and require strike force chiefs to inform U.S. attorneys about search warrants in advance. There are also other new restrictions; strike force involvement in narcotics cases, for example, will be reduced.

DeFeo discerned from these developments that the strike forces eventually will be "phased out, absorbed by and conducted under direct supervision of a local U.S. attorney, retaining the strike forces name for public relations purposes."

Sources inside the strike forces have told us that Thornburgh intends to kill the program. But Thornburgh insisted that he has no intention of destroying the strike forces. He didn't rule out the possibility, however, of merging the remaining strike forces into the offices of the U.S. attorneys. In any event, he said he will leave the final decision up to the incoming Carter administration.

DeFeo argued in his confidential memo that the strike forces were better suited than U.S. attorneys' offices to wage war on organized crime. The memo, dated September 27, pointed out that "the strike forces had the independent, permanent capability for a sustained program that local U.S. attorneys lacked because of their conflicting obligations, fixed terms and higher turnover."

William Lynch, the tough prosecutor who ran the organized crime section, agreed with DeFeo's assessments. In an earlier memorandum, dated August 30, Lynch warned that the new guidelines "heralds an end to an effective strike force program."

The guidelines will be regarded by Mafia mobsters, he complained, "as limiting the scope of strike force investigative and prosecutive mandates."

Thornburgh responded to Lynch's complaints by removing him as head of the organized crime section, which oversees the strike forces.

Thornburgh told us emphatically that Lynch and DeFeo are wrong. The new guidelines, he said, are merely part of an updating of the U.S. attorneys' manual. "It is only logical that such an effort would take account," he explained, "of evolving needs, priorities, conditions and relationships in the criminal justice field."

He denied that the guidelines would limit investigations to mob members only, but claimed that their associates would also be included in the new definition of "criminal syndicates." The term, he said, "appears to me to clearly encompass all of those highly organized, disciplined associations engaged in supplying illegal goods and services."

According to Thornburgh, "the guidelines are premised upon the continued ecistence of at least some strike forces, and their working in tandem with the U.S. attorneys' offices."

The Democrats who will take over the White House and Capitol Hill, meanwhile, have expressed interest in the internal battle. Rep. William Hungate, D.-Mo., chairman of the House Criminal Justice subcommittee, has asked in a private letter that Thornburgh explain his actions to restrict the strike forces.

President-elect Jimmy Carter's transition team at the Justice Dept. is also examining the strike force problem. But they had an abrupt "no comment" about their views.

Candidates are solicited for busines award

ST. LOUIS — Interested business and civic organizations are invited to submit names of potential candidates for the 1977 Small Business Person of the Year before Jan. 1, 1977, according to Thomas L. Holling, Small Business Administration district director.

The 1977 competition is designed to determine the most outstanding small business person who demonstrates excellence in each of the following categories:

Staying power—A substantiated history as an established business; growth in number of employes—a benchmark to judge the impact of the business on the job market; increase in sale dollar and-or unit volume-an indication of continued growth; current and past financial reports-substantiating the improved financial position of the business; and original entrepreneurship-evidence that the nominee was not necessarily a small family business that has been passed down through the generations.

Also, innovations of product or services offered—illustrations of the creativity and imagination of the originator of the business and or subsequent manager; response to adversity—examples of problems faced by the business and the solutions taken in resolving them; evidence of contributions by nominee to aid community oriented projects—through use of his-her personal resources, i.e., time, effort, etc.

Although the award is presented by the U.S. Small Business Administration, it is not necessary for the candidate to have received any of SBA's full range of services, including management, procurement and financial assistance.

SBA's salute to the nation's 10 million small businesses is the second week in May during National Small Business Week.

The 1976 winner from the St. Louis district office was Arne Roestel, president, Artronix, Inc., 1314 Hanley Industrial Court, St. Louis. It was also selected as the regional winner for the states of Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa and Missouri. Artonix, Inc. manufacturers medical data processing equipment such as the brain scanner.

Shelbina family selected state farm family

JEFFERSON CITY — Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Vickers of Shelbina were selected as the state's outstanding young farm family at the Missouri Farm Bureau's 62nd annual meeting Nov. 28-30 at Tan-Tar-A Lodge on the Lake of the Ozarks.

Robert and Rita have built their farming operation from a modest start of a few head of livestock and borrowed or rented machinery to a family enterprise worth over $200,000.

In just five short years, Vickers has put his animal husbandry and agricultural mechanization college training to work on his 330-acre farm to produce increased wheat, soybean, corn and milo crops from his original start. He now uses reduced tillage practices to prevent erosion and has established terraces and waterways to control runoff.

Vickers also is cultivating 80 acres of timber for potential use of lumber, and he uses his tractor to custom load river gravel for extra income.

The win qualifies Mr. and Mrs. Vickers to represent Missouri Farm Bureau at the American Farm Bureau Convention in Honolulu, Hawaii, in January. They will compete with farmers and ranchers from 49 other states and Puerto Rico for the coveted American Farm Bureau National Young Farmers and Ranchers Award given annually.

May attains Ford sales membership

Ford Division of the Ford Motor Co. recently announced that Ray May, Route Two, has attained membership in the Ford Society of Professional Sales Counselors for 1976.

Society membership can only be attained by Ford salesmen who display outstanding sales achievement during the calendar year.

May is employed by Sikeston Motor Co. 1030 S. Main St., and has been a member of its sales staff since 1968.

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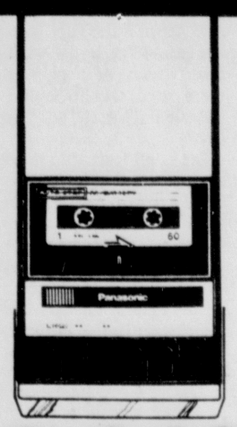

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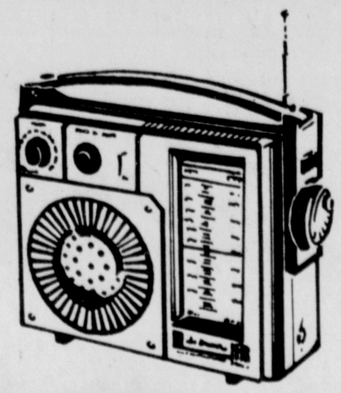

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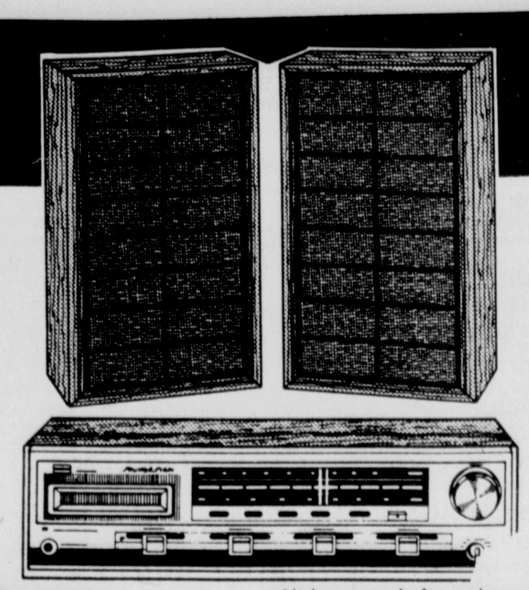

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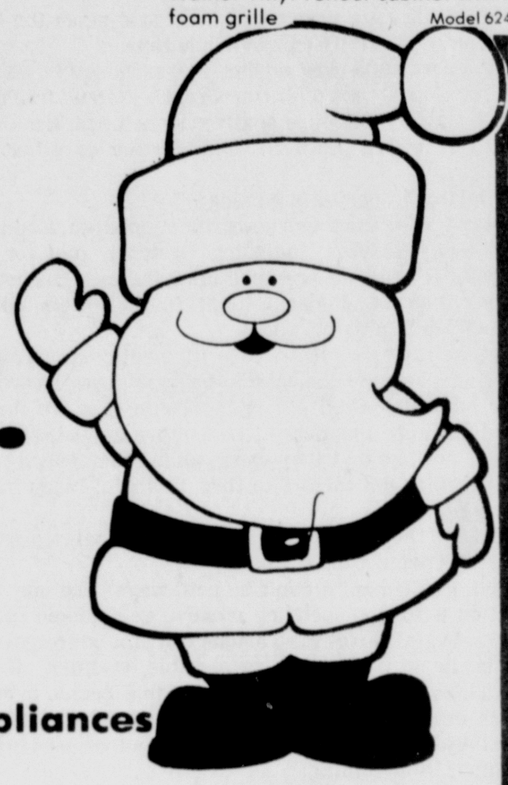

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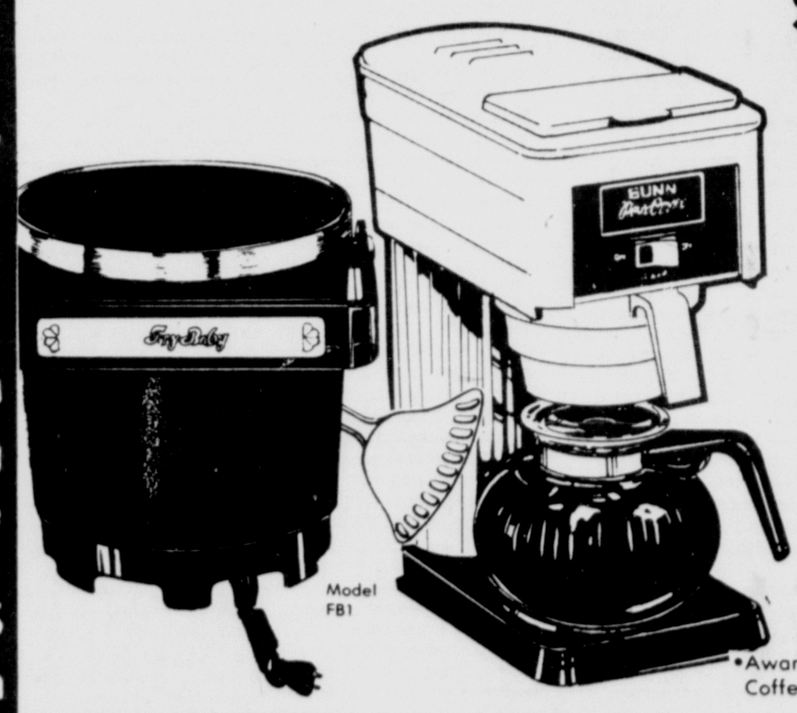

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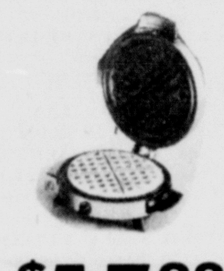

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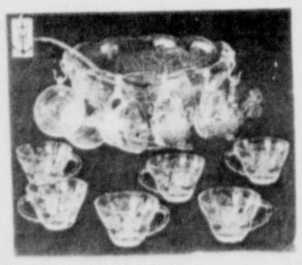

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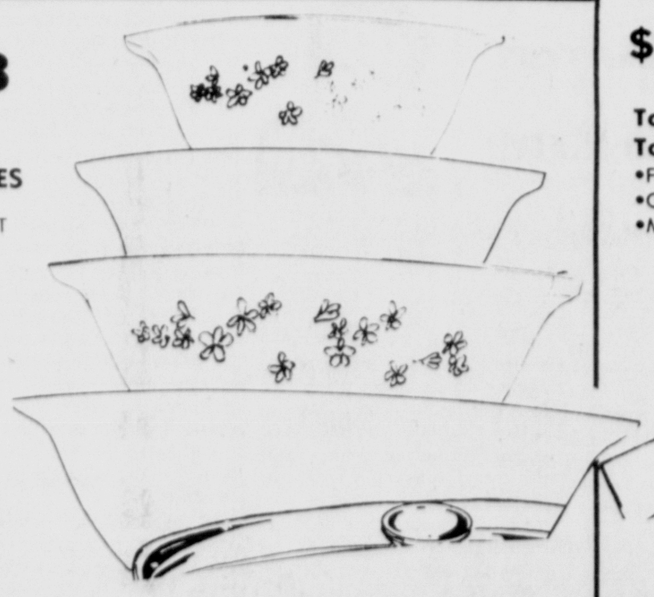

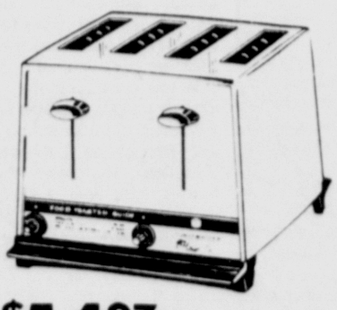

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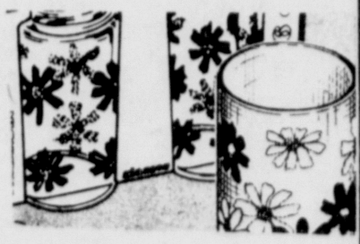

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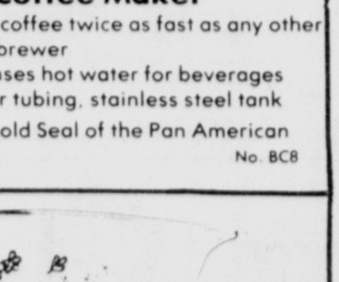

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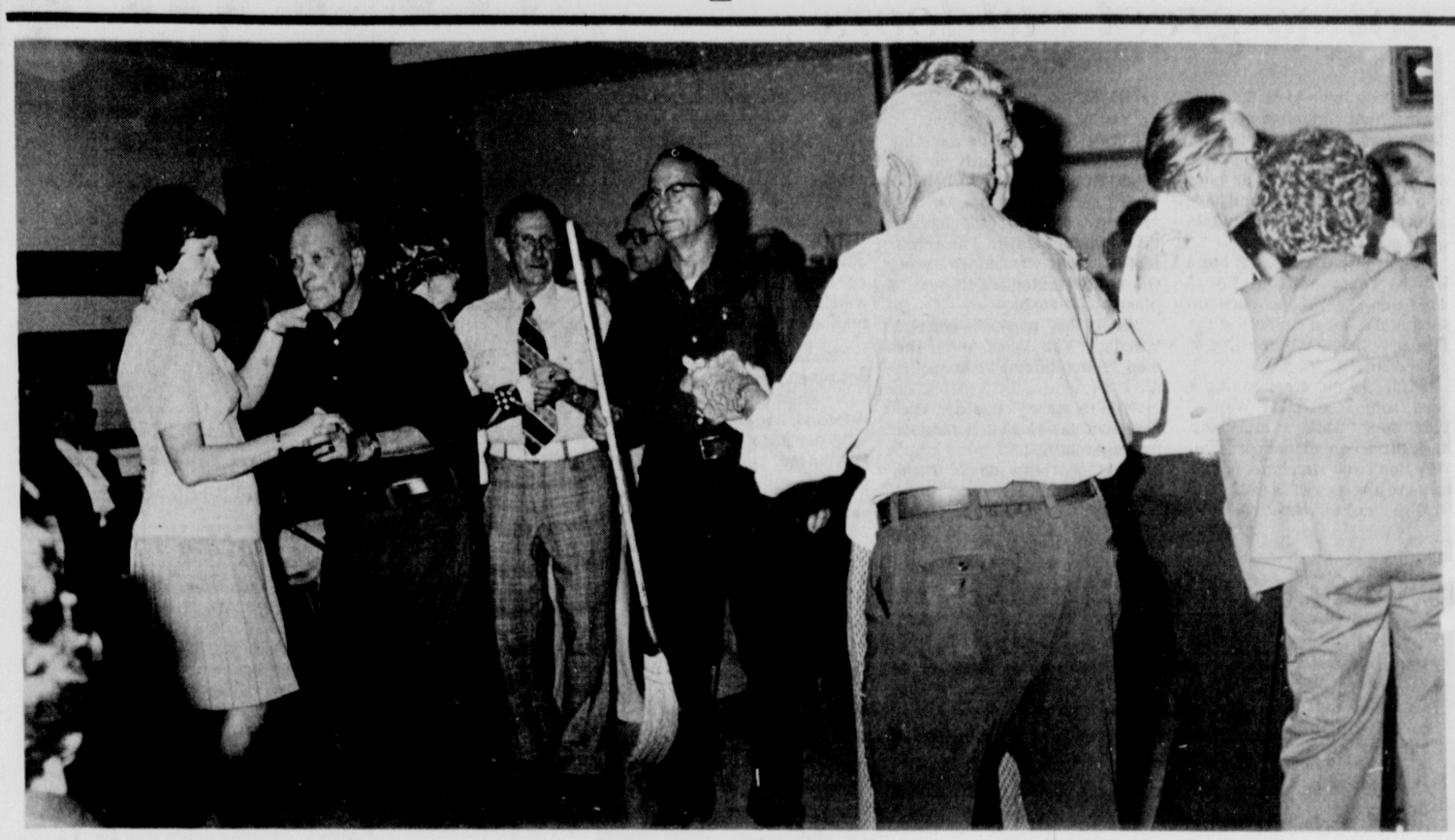
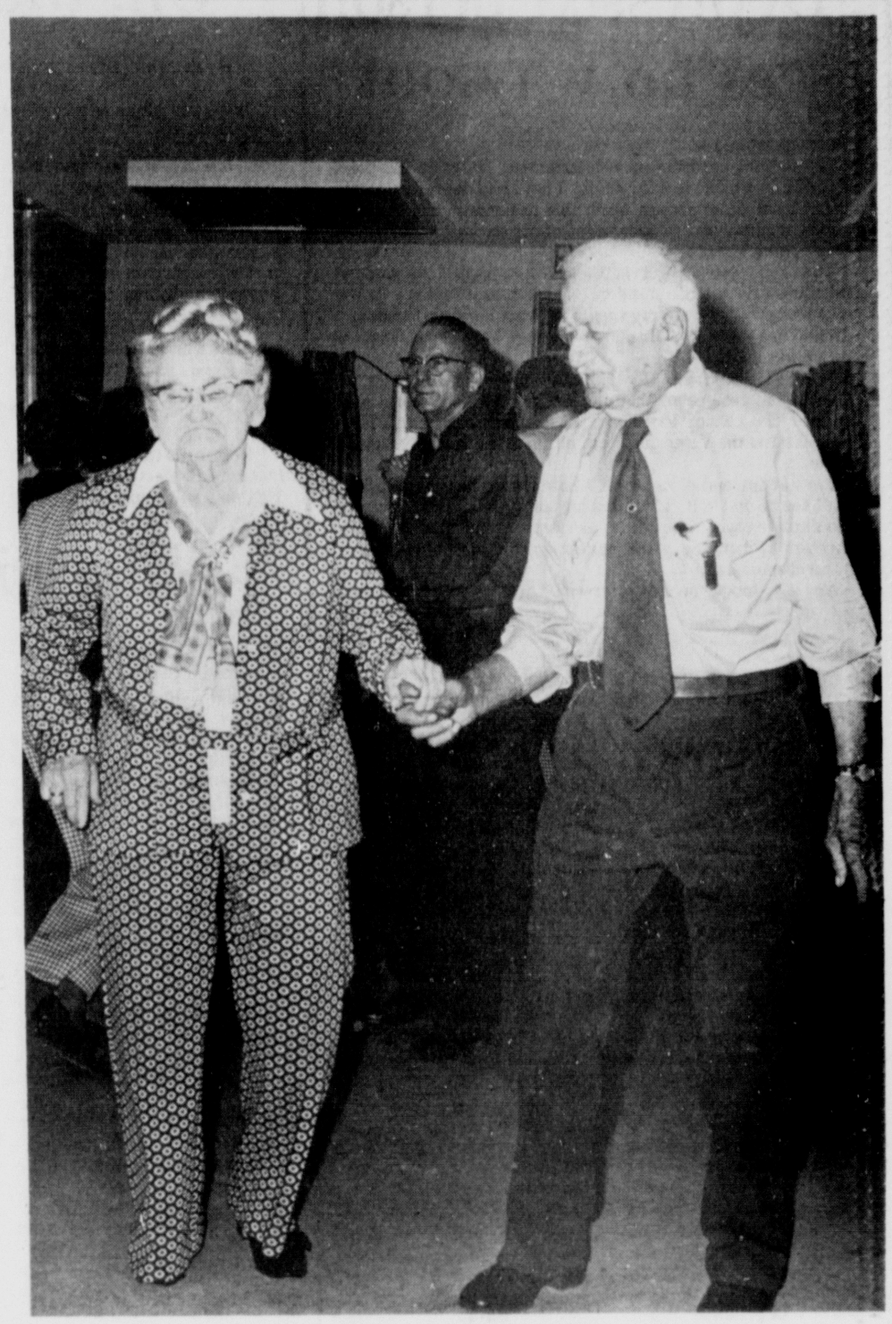


The broom dance is popular with those who participate in the Senior Citizens Dance each Friday night at the Heritage House.



Minnie Sutton, 87, of Sikeston, and C.E. "Charlie" Stauffer, 92, of Charleston are regulars at the monthly Heritage House dance. They don't usually dance with each other, but the photographer managed to get them together for this picture. Stauffer still drives, bowls and plays horseshoes. He says he roller skated until about three years ago. Mrs. Sutton, who has a heart pacemaker, says she never danced until she started attending the Heritage House parties. Now she seldom misses a set.

Young at heart

By TONY PIPPEN
Managing Editor

There's a popular song that says "Fairy tales can come true, it can happen to you when you're young at heart."

Sikeston's senior citizens are not looking for fairy tales, but they are certainly young at heart.

A lot of their young attitude has been attributed to their association with the Heritage House, where they can find all kinds of activities to keep them occupied and put some "fun in their lives." One elderly woman said the Heritage House" is the greatest thing that's happened to us old folks."

A lot of the credit for this growing reliance on the Heritage House goes to Mrs. Kathleen Wissman, who has been director since February of 1971. The local center was opened in 1970.

Many of the senior citizens look forward to their monthly dance party held on the third Friday of each month. The next dance will be held Friday from 7 to 10 p.m. The parties are strictly for senior citizens and their guests and no drinking is allowed.

The annual Christmas party will be held Dec. 22 from 2 to 4 p.m. With Nell Brown playing the piano and Mona dement leading the group in singing of christmas carols. Gifts will be awarded to the oldest person and others.

The center is noted for its hot meals served from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. daily at a nominal cost to center citizens. Activities at the center are too numerous to mention all of them, but they include exercise classes, ceramics classes, facilities for playing cards, reading, prayer groups, rythm band, bingo, a nutrition bazaar, making of cancer bandages and many more. Nearly 200 people eat at the Heritage house every day. Their Christmas meal will be served Dec. 23. The center will be closed Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

Volunteers from throughout the community have also successfully completed a campaign to raise $3,500 for the Southeast Missouri Transportation Service (SMTS) which enables them to keep a bus operating in this area.

Mrs. Delores Comer, who has worked as a volunteer with the SMTS program, announced this week that the fund- raising goal had been reached. She also noted that due to other obligations she will have to give up her volunteer role with SMTS, but hopes someone else can take her place with the program.

Jess A. Best, driver of the SMTS bus, keeps the vehicle busy. Best, who lives at Blodgett, leaves home three days a week to transport a woman from Charleston to the Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston where she undergoes treatment on a dialysis machine for four- and-a-half hours each trip. He then returns her to Charleston. He has taken others needing medical attention to hospitals in Columbia, Memphis, Tenn., and Poplar Bluff. The Division of Family Services pays for the medical trips. Best says he provides transportation for several persons who are physically handicapped or requiring medical attention. He has even hauled an 18-month-old boy.

When the bus is not in use for medical trips, Best picks up senior citizens throughout the area an takes them to the Heritage House where they eat dinner and participating in other activities.

Best, who has been driving the bus since March of 1975, says he sometimes doesn't get home until 10 or 11 at night when he mades the out-of-town medical trips. He says the district needs another bus.

Mrs. Comer said a request has already been made to the legislature for an additional bus, but it now looks like it may be next summer before those funds will be available.

The Music Makers, who play for the monthly Senior Citizens Dances are, from left, Rufus Lavender on piano, Herman Newman on rhythm guitar, Rick Hanna on bass and Carol Lutes on lead guitar.

A lively bit of stepping

Members of the Heritage House Rhythm Band, from left, are: Front row, Mabel Walter, Rubye Sims, Geneva Zimmer, Mildred Peace, Virginia Gwantley, Nell McReynolds and Fred Gwantley. Second row, Eva James, Ella Jordan, Margaret Robertson, Nellie Slaughter, Elsie McMackins, John Murphy, Herman Harris, Walsie Harris and Jovce Murphy. Pianist is Lucille Schorle. Other members of the band are Leema Duncan, Alma Goltz, Vina Haynes, Edith Knight, Minnie Sutton, Audrey Woodward and Will Zimmer. Rufus Lavender is substitute pianist.

Many of these "senior citizens" who participate in the Heritage House activities helped with a recent successful campaign to raise $3,500 to keep a Southeast Missouri Transportation System bus operating. From left, they are: Front row, Fred Sullivan, Ethel Parks, Mabel Walters, Nell McReynolds, Cathleen Gipson, Edith Knight, Mary Dalton, Violet Carpenter, Minnie Sutton, Virginia Gwantley, Rubye Sims, A.J. Anderson, Lola Cooper, Mrs. Ray Richards, Ray Richards, Joyce Murphy, Mary Ogden, Wesley Hodges, Doc Havener, Wesley Strayhorn and Henry Yount. Second row, Director Kathleen Wissman, Bill Hayden, Mrs. Charles Baker, Carl Harris, Charles Baker, Vina Haynes, William Gruen, Fred Forbis, Ella Jordan, Zendolyn Goolsby, Fred Gwantley, Virginia Nickell, Jewell Davis, Hemba Young, driver Jess Best, Charles Tisdel, Frank Pearcy, Charles Royal, Mrs. Wesley Hodges and Ted York.

Open mind

Depressed person sees no way out

Dear Open Mind:

My mental condition has deteriorated lately to the point where I am unable to do anything. I have had depressed states before, but have always been able to come out of them. A series of personal disasters have left me so down, I despair of ever coming out of it.

The only relief I get is when I get high. I've smoked marijuana daily since this depression hit, as it seems to be the only thing that can get my spirits up. I am constantly running around in a state of confusion, if not from the weed, then from the depression.

I feel I need help. I've already made one suicide attempt,and I can see another one coming, but I have no money or job. The stories I've hard about conditions at the state hospital and the Veterans Hospital make me fearful of going there.

I am at the end of my rope. I hate sitting here vegetating, but I see no end to it. I feel that anything I would do to correct the situation would be futile, as in my confused state, I am constantly changing plans, giving up, or lying (I've turned into a chronic liar).

Any assistance you may offer would be gratefully accepted.

VETERAN

Marijuana no answer

Dear Veteran:

It's obvious that you could use some help. Getting high may very well have kept the depression from getting the better of you on a short term basis but over a long period of time it is likely to make things worse.

A qualified psychiatrist or psychologist could do you a great deal more good than smoking marijuana. You could very likely be treated as an out-patient so your fears concerning public hospitals are not completely relevant at this point.

Feel free to call me personally and I will be happy to assist in any way possible. Just remember, getting high may make you feel better but it can do nothing to remove the root causes of your problem; it will only impair your ability to deal with things objectively. My number is 314-781-9070.

Bill Taylor
Executive Director
Drug & Substance Abuse Council of Metropolitan St. Louis

Services available

Dear Veteran:

Your letter sounds to me like a real call for help -- help which is available to you. Having worked at a State Outpatient Clinic, and now at the Veterans Outpatient Mental Health Clinic I know that you can obtain the services your letter indicates you need.

The fact that you feel another suicide attempt coming on is enough reason to seek help. At this point -- for you -- smoking pot every day only serves to promote more confusion and reservation over seeking treatment.

Depression and personal disasters are two of the many problems which cause people to go to an outpatient clinic. The Veterans Hospital offers services which range from psychotherapy to vocational counseling. We have clinical and counseling psychologists, psychiatric social workers and psychiatrists who are experienced in treating veterans with emotional and social problems.

Please -- don't let stories about conditions keep you from getting the help you need. Treatment is better today than ever before. Whether you go to a state clinic, the VA, or one of the many community agencies, get involved in a treatment program. Since I don't have your name I can't contact you, but if you can call me, please do. I would like to share with you what treatment is available to you in the St. Louis area.

LEONARD POWERS, M.S.W.
Psychiatric Social Worker
Mental Hygiene Clinic
V.A. Hospital, St. Louis

The nearest Vocational Rehabilitation office is at Cape Girardeau, phone 334-7701.

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Getting married?

The Daily Standard, 205 S. New Madrid St., now has new wedding forms available at the front office or at the women's desk. Business hours are from 7 a.m., to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Forms will be mailed if a self-addressed, stamped envelope is provided.

The deadline for weddings is three weeks after date of wedding. Pictures will be returned if a self-addressed, stamped envelope large enough to hold a picture is supplied. Color pictures are discouraged. There is no charge for running a wedding.We are happy to publish it.

Ann O'Leary
Women's Editor

At wit's end

Oh, the not-so-great outdoors

By ERMA BOMBECK

Okay, you all know how I feel about camping.

A Motel 6 is about as primitive as I want to get. I just cannot understand people who are turned on by swishing their silverware in a mesh bag through a stream where a dog just relieved himself.

That's why it came as a bit of surprise when Wanda called last week and said, "Before the football game next Saturday, we're going to have a tailgate buffet."

"How far is the tailgate buffet from my all-electric kitchen?"

"Don't start that again," she said. "You have to be the most boring, unimaginative person I know. Don't you ever like to try anything different? We'll pack a lunch, allow ourselves an hour or two before the game and have a fun time eating off the tailgate of the station wagon."

"You're right as usual," I told Wanda later. "This is fun. I don't think I've had so much fun since I slid down the deck of the Titanic without spilling a drop of my iced tea."

"Well, if you're not having a good time," snapped Wanda. "It's your fault ... crouching back there behind the spare tire. Why don't you stand around the tailgate like the rest of us?"

"I'm cold! Besides, the sandwich is dry."

"You're eating your glove."

I crawled out of the car and planted my feet firmly in the fresh tar, not daring to believe what I saw. The parking lot was an orgy of campers, folding tables, and tailgates. The entire football field was under siege. One lighted match and the entire place was set to blow.

"Isn't this great?" chirped Wanda. "You know, even the food tastes different out in the air."

"You're right," I said. "This doughnut tastes like it flunked its emissions test."

"One of these days," said Wanda softly, her eyes fixed vacantly, "we're going to go to a football game in a camper. We'll have our own stove where we can cook steaks and a refrigerator where we can store salads. And there'll be big, comfortable chairs and sofas where we can sit down and have a drink. We won't even have to climb into coats or boots and sit on hard bleacher seats. We'll watch the game on a colored television set in comfort."

"Wanda! You have just described your own home!"

"I knew you wouldn't understand. Are you coming?"

"A car just ran over my foot," I grimaced.

"Did anyone ever tell you you're a complainer?"

Electric crepemakers handy, fun

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

In 1924 bands were playing "Tea for Two." In 1953 theatergoers were applauding "Tea and Sympathy." In 1976 cooks are having fun serving "Tea with Blintzes" because electric crepemakers are now on the market in household size and they're all the rage.

In our own kitchen we've been turning out batches of blintzes with the help of one of these attractive small appliances. A handsome model, its 7½-inch no-stick cooking surface in black looks stunning with its shiny white base. We found it a pleasure to use because it is sturdy but lightweight and its handle is well-designed. Best of all it has a light-up signal when the crepemaker is ready to dip in the batter and again when a crepe is done. We can't think of any feature more important than this.

And now to "Tea with Blintzes." Blintzes are from Jewish cuisine — made with French pancakes and a filling of cheese — and tea is the traditional offering with them. The crepe formula we use is one borrowed from Julia Child and it works beautifully. The filling is one we dreamed up; we think you'll like its subtle vanilla-orange flavor and it holds up well during the final frying. Blintzes are great to serve for supper after a hearty soup or salad, but there are many other ways of using crepes that are worth trying.

CREPEMAKER BLINTZES

1 cup flour
2 large eggs
½ cup milk
½ cup water
¼ teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 tablespoons butter, melted
Cheese Filling, see below
Sour cream

In an electric blender whirl together all the ingredients, except the Cheese Filling and the sour cream, for about a minute; with a rubber spatula, scrape sides and stir down; whirl again until smooth — about ½ minute more. Let batter stand at room temperature for about an hour so it thickens slightly and foam subsides. Then stir and use with an electric crepemaker according to manufacturer's directions. As crepes are cooked, stack and cover with wax paper; let all the crepes stand this way about an hour at room temperature before filling to soften edges. Makes 16 crepes suitable for blintzes — the first extra one or two may be too lacy to use for this dish.

Place 2 level tablespoonfuls of the Cheese Filling toward the center of each crepe, brown side up. Flip the end of a crepe nearest the cheese over it; turn in the two parallel sides; fold over to make a neat sealed envelope. Cover well and refrigerate if not to be used right away, but bring to room temperature before frying as follows. At serving time, heat a generous amount of extra butter in a no-stick skillet over moderate heat; fast-fry the blintzes, one batch at a time, until golden-brown and crisp on the outside. Serve at once with sour cream.

Cheese Filling: Beat together with a spoon until blended a 7½-ounce package of farmer cheese and an 8-ounce package of cream cheese; stir in ¼ cup sugar, the grated rind of an orange and a teaspoon of vanilla.

Note: Some cooks like to roll the crepes over the filling without turning in the sides; in this case they arrange the blintzes in one layer in a baking dish, douse them with melted butter and heat just until warm in a moderate oven.

NEW AID—A handsome electric crepemaker turns out pancakes to use for blintzes and other dishes.

The clock in Salisbury Cathedral in England is believed to be the oldest working clock in the world. It was made around 1386.

Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Whitlock

McBee-Whitlock

HOUSTON, Tex. — Cindy McBee of Downing, Mo. became the bride of Michael Whitlock of San Antonio Nov. 20 at the Academy of Health and Sciences at Fort Sam. Officiating at the ceremony was Maj. Glen P. Hall, Army chaplain.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis McBee of Downing and the groom's mother is Mrs. Faye Jones of Sikeston, Mo. The groom's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C.M. Seymour of Matthews, Mo.

The couple's honor attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lucier. After their wedding, the couple entertained guests at a reception at their home, 120 Haywood, apartment 3, Houston.

Mrs. Whitlock works in trauma research at the Institute of Surgical Research at Ft. Sam. Her husband is a 1972 graduate of Matthews High School at Matthews and is employed at Brooke Army Medical Center in the intensive care unit.

Polly's Pointers

DEAR POLLY — My Pet Peeve is with the manufacturers of infants clothes. Nine times out of ten when I buy anything for my nine-month-old daughter the neck opening is too small to go over her head. Then I have to make the opening larger and put on a button, snap or just sew around the newly cut opening. It seems they could be made to fit in the first place. I am not alone in this. I know others who have the same trouble. — MRS. D.E.R.

DEAR POLLY — I do a lot of sewing, so I notice how many people are hemming their own slacks (they always seem to be too long) and dresses, but not pressing them out right. The original hem should be taken out and then the right length marked so there is only one thickness turned up for a smooth finish. Sprinkle a good pressing cloth with cold water and use a hot steam iron to press well. I usually press the hem in before sewing, mark, cut to desired length, hem and then press again. This will stay in no matter how often washed. Wonderful for knits as well as other fabrics. — A.M.M.

DEAR MRS. A.M.M. — After a hem is turned up and you are ready to put it in by hand, pin hem in with pins about one-half inch from edge. As you sew, use left hand to turn down about one-fourth inch of the hem and catch stitches that far from the edge. When hem is pressed in there is no sign of a hem line, if you have been careful not to let any stitches come through to the outside. Transparent nylon thread works best on all such hems even though it is a nuisance to work with. Next time you have to put a hem in a coat or wool dress be sure to try this. It is one of the best sewing tips I have ever used. — POLLY.

DEAR POLLY — I find it most helpful to keep paper, recipe cards and a pen or pencil by the television set or where I sit to read the newspaper. When watching or reading and something is read or announced that I would like to jot down, I am ready for it. Articles cut out of the paper are often misplaced. Dates of up-coming events on TV can be jotted down as well as the name of a new book, an author's name, a recipe or the address needed to answer an advertisement. — MARILYN.

Ann Landers

Teenage couple should find activities

Dear Ann: I'm a high school junior (17) and so is my boyfriend. We have been going steady for five months and I'm sure this is true love.

Ken works Friday nights and Saturday afternoons. Our only chance to be together is Saturday night. Ken doesn't have a car so we can't go anyplace much.

My parents know all this but instead of cooperating they hang around the house every Saturday night and watch TV until the last show is off.

Ken and I enjoy TV, too, but it's no fun when the place is crawling with relatives. Do you think this is fair, Ann? I've mentioned it to my folks and all I get is dirty looks. A word from you might help. Please say something.-- Too Many Eyes

Dear T.M.E.: If you two 17-year-olds can't think of anything better to do than sit in front of a TV on the one night in the week when you are together, I feel awfully sorry for you.

So Ken doesn't have a car. You have feet, don't you? And what about buses? Young love is beautiful, but it shouldn't mean the rest of the world should drop dead so you two can be alone. Get with it, Lovey. The burden is on you and Ken -- not your folks.

Dear Ann: I recently decided to make a career change and ran into a situation that must irk thousands of job applicants. I've never seen it mentioned in all the years I've been reading your column, and I think it's about time somebody complained.

When a company advertises employment and proudly uses its name to enhance the ad, why can't they show a little courtesy by sending the applicant a short letter thanking him or her for the resume and giving him a yea or nay?

I feel if I show an interest in a company and take the time to write a resume and a covering letter, it should at least be acknowledged by somebody. One company that failed to respond lost a long-time customer. I'll never feel the same about them.

Maybe if you print this letter a few highly respected (but inconsiderate) companies will wake up and smell the coffee. Sign me -- A Disgusted Applicant

Dear App: Seems to me your complaint is valid. As a matter of good public relations all job applicants should receive an acknowledgment and a thank you for considering the company as a prospective employee. Get on the stick, Somebody!

Dear Ann Landers: I would like to say a few words to the guy who signed himself " 'Fleeced.' " He complained about office collections for brides, new babies, retirement parties, get well flowers, etc. I know this type of cheapskate. I work with a few.

Just let someone come around with a punchboard, a football pool, a hot tip on a horse or a chance on a lottery ticket and Big Mouth is the first one to put his hand in his pocket.

I work in a large office. When I was in the hospital last spring, the gang sent a beautiful bouquet of flowers. I will never forget the thrill when the nurse brought them into my room. When I read the card I almost bawled.

I never complained about shipping in for office remembrances, but after having been the recipient once it gave me a whole new understanding. Please print this, Ann. Ada

Dear A.: I'll bet this goes up on a few office bulletin boards around the country. Thanks for writing.

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Fashion yule wishes

Harriet's wearig a shirred strapless;
Angela's comig in flowers and flounces;
Pepper mighttry tiered taffeta;
Pamela said a silk blouse and a long skirt would do, and
Yolanda expects to be super chic in a man-tailored tux.

How are you spending Christmas?
Or New Year's?
Lounging a home in evening pajamas?
Imbibing at a neighbor's open house, in your beige knit pantsuit?
Draped inrose chiffon in a smoky disco?
Anything goes, as long as one rule applies:
Y'all have a good time, y'hear?

By Ellie Grossman

TORSO-HUGGING party dress flares into an easy skirt making it wearable for women of varying sizes. In silky Caprolan nylon by John Klos, it has a self-tie strap over one shoulder. This is a fashion for all seasons and travel at a bare $17.

ROMANCE IS back as reflected by this georgette shirt. It is designed by Dominic Rompollo to top a poie-de-soie skirt with satin belt and hem.

SPORTIVE look goes to make the nighttime scene in this sweater set of tweedy all-American mohair and wool blend rib knit. Long glide of jacket with short, flaring sleeves tops flattering matching tube pants.

Brunches fill up lazy Sundays

By TOM HOGE
AP Newsfeatures Writer

Time was when I regarded brunch as little more than an excuse to start drinking champagne early in the day.

Then came a Sunday when I accepted an invitation to one of these delightfully informal meals and I revised my opinion of brunch. It is an ideal way of entertaining friends without going to a lot of fuss; a splendid way to embark on a day of leisure.

Because of the hour — it usually runs from 10:30 a.m. to about 3 p.m. — brunch is a Sunday favorite. And brunch is a good time for a bracer like a Bloody Mary, followed up by a tasty dish.

It's hard to say when the idea of brunch originated, but it apparently goes back many years. For example, around the turn of the century a group of prominent businessmen in Atlanta, who called themselves the Ice Picks, used to play cards every Saturday night. The game ended around midnight, the table was cleared and a repast was served in the early hours of Sunday.

Starting off with champagne cocktails, the group went on to pretty hearty fare, featuring such gourmet dishes as roast quail, ruffled grouse or wild turkey, topped off with kidney and mushroom stew. It was a rib-sticking meal that was certainly more brunch than breakfast.

"Brunch should be a celebration, a festival of the really good dishes served during the week," says Spry.

Spry leans heavily on egg dishes for brunch but stresses that they must be something that will sustain you over the long hours until dinner.

One of the tastiest brunch specialties I have encountered is Cajun Shrimp Creole, which I found in a book of recipes put out by the Atlanta Music Club. Its creator was Mrs. Paul Hanes.

¼ cup vegetable oil
2 medium onions, sliced
1 large bell pepper, cut in strips
¼ pound fresh mushrooms, sliced
¼ cup flour
1 teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon pepper
1 teaspoon oregano
2½ cups stewed tomatoes
2 pounds shelled and deveined shrimp

Heat oil in saucepan and add onions, bell pepper and mushrooms. Cook till ingredients are tender, stirring occasionally. Add flour and seasonings and mix well. Add tomatoes. Cook, stirring constantly till thickened. Cover and cook over low heat 10 minutes. Add shrimp and cook 5 minutes more. Serves 6-8. Good with chilled rose wine.

Lebanese spinach

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

WEEKEND LUNCH
Turkey Chowder — Rolls
Lebanese Spinach
Pumpkin Tarts — Coffee

JONATHAN BARTLETT'S LEBANESE SPINACH

In our Test Kitchen we found this "salad" particularly delicious when made with fairly fine bulgur.

½ cup bulgur
2 tablespoons olive oil
1 onion, chopped
1 pound spinach, chopped fine
Salt and lemon juice

Soak the bulgur in about 1 cup of cold water and set aside. Heat up the oil and cook the onion over medium heat until it is soft. Wash and add the spinach with whatever water is still clinging to its leaves and stir around until it is tender — about 5 minutes or so — and salt to taste. Drain and place in a bowl. Drain the bulgur and add it to the spinach and stir it all around until bulgur is evenly distributed throughout. Refrigerate and serve cold with a little lemon juice squeezed over it just at the last minute. From "The Peasant Gourmet" by Jonathan Bartlett (Macmillan, 1975).

Cashmere lures with luxury

By Ellie Grossman

NEW YORK — (NEA) — You want good cashmere? Then get friendly with the cashmere goats in Mongolia and China and forget about those walking around Iran.

According to Arthur Dery, head of Dalton of America, the sportswear firm from Willoughby, Ohio, "Iranian cashmere is much coarser. Most of the cashmere on the market today, in fact, is of such poor quality, if I had to resort to it, I wouldn't be in the cashmere business."

But Dery is in the "cashmere business" and has been for the past 25 years. Only he insists, he said in a phone interview, on the best for the sweaters he offers America's women, along with his other conservatively styled merchandise.

Those willing to pay roughly $95 per top are investing in something that feels good, doesn't crease and, chances are, will die only of boredom.

On Dery's part, the price reflects the scarcity of the product and the headaches and processes involved in marketing it.

For starters, good cashmere costs $25 per pound. "But you only get 35 per cent pure cashmere after the guard hair is removed."

Then the hairs are sorted according to color — brown here, white there — cleaned and spun into yarn, after which there are still 21 more steps involved to produce a pretty turtleneck.

"Our cashmere is also two-ply, which means you take two strands instead of one, twist them together and then knit. It's sturdier, more luxurious and the more you clean it, the better it looks."

The Chinese apparently know all this because "they aren't breeding that many goats so they can hold up the price on good cashmere. I think they're playing a lot of politics with it."

PLAID sportswear separates come in muted tones such as shadow blue heather or amethyst heather. A three-button blazer and color-coordinated sporty vest top pull-on pants, all designed by Dalton of America in wool.

CAMEL'S HAIR has made a comeback in the past year. Here Dalton of America fashions camel separates, a double-breasted blazer with welt pockets and a color-coordinated classic front-slit skirt. These come in traditional golden camel or British brown.

Still, the animals themselves were active enough for Dery's designers to create 16 different sweater styles this year, in 14 colors. Among them, gray, beige and white "which is still very strong because you can wear it with everything."

Of course, 25 years ago, white cashmere was unheard of. "I kept asking the suppliers, why can't you make it without these black hairs, and they said it's impossible. But people said it's impossible to go to the moon and we're on the moon now."

Chinese water torture won't get him to tell how it's done, but "if you spend more money and take out the imperfections, you get white cashmere." A little bleaching helps, too.

Mongolia and China also produce nice, hairy camels, for the camel hair "which is one step down from cashmere, as far as luxury fabric is concerned," Dery said. But camel hair has its irritating side, too.

"It's so expensive today, we've been mixing 65 per cent camel hair with 35 per cent fine wool. You see, a yard of camel hair eight months ago was $8.40; now it's up to $11.60."

And Dery doesn't think any camel is worth those kind of lumps. Next year, he'll be investigating other fabric in place of it.

But as far as cashmere goes, we're not to worry. He acknowledges its position in our classic-conscious times. In fact, he's planning to stretch those cashmere sweaters into dresses for those who want to feel good all over.

Potato pancake recipe

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

FAMILY DINNER
Pot Roast with Onions and Carrots
Potato Pancakes — Salad
Fruit — Beverage

POTATO PANCAKES

Adding caraway seed may be new to you.

3 medium baking potatoes
1 egg, slightly beaten
½ cup flour
¾ teaspoon salt
½ teaspoon caraway seed
½ cup (about) peanut oil

Pare potatoes and place in a bowl of cold water as they are pared. Working with one potato at a time, pat dry and grate coarsely into a bowl containing the beaten egg. Stir in flour, salt and caraway seed. Into a large skillet pour enough oil to grease generously; heat over moderate heat. For each pancake, add 2 tablespoons batter to the hot oil and spread thin with the back of a spoon. Fry about 3 minutes on each side — until golden brown and cooked through. Add oil as needed. Makes 12 to 14 pancakes — 4 servings.

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Bogus gems glitter like gold

By Ellie Grossman

NEW YORK — (NEA) — "If I were king and you were queen, with precious gems I would befrill you."

Ronald Goldman, in the movie, "Rich or Poor, It's Good to Have Money."

Ladies, who among us has never choked on the rancid seeds of envy and coughed with longing for a bauble from Bulgari, a trifle from Tiffany?

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We're pleased to report that replicas of six dazzling jewels that have risen and fallen on exquisite bosoms through the centuries can now be yours for exactly two dollars and fifty cents each. Tax not included.

Caveat Emptor Enterprises, Unltd., makers of Cheapskates Heirloom jewelry, are marketing the gems which are available at neighborhood card shops, J.C. Penney's, Sears & Roebuck, and other classy places.

Choose, among others, the Vulgari Emerald, the Royal Order of the Corset ("... always worn by Dutch Queens who were heavily corseted"), and the Cohen Diamond whose 237.6 carats carry with them "the Cohen curse — Mr. Cohen."

The outsized jewels are made of durable cardboard ("scissor cut"), suspended from genuine silver elastic, as opposed to ersatz silver elastic.

They were conceived and designed by the three sensitive members of Caveat Emptor's parent company, Neibaur-Marsten.

Two of them are bearded — John E. Johnson, an illustrator whose peers have dubbed him "the king of cute," and Richard Neibaur, a home furnishings and gift designer. Barbara Marsten, a toy designer who completes the triumvirate, is clean shaven, but the others don't hold this against her.

EYE-BOGGLING JEWELRY is modeled here by three zany New York-California artists — their creators. Real cardboard bogus jewels are worn by (top left) Richard Neibaur and the Vulgari Emerald of 16,000.83 carats; Barbara Marsten and the cursed Cohen Diamond (the curse is Mr. Cohen), and John Johnson emblazoned with the Royal Order of the Corset. These retail for approximately $2.50.

Recently, we had occasion to listen to the trio interrupt each other in Neibaur's plush apartment in Manhattan's plush East 60s.

For the occasion, Ms. Marsten, an attractive brunette, wore black. Johnson was insouciantly sophisticated in a sweater and slack ensemble, and Neibaur was striking in jeans, a candy striped polo shirt and khaki arm fatigue jacket.

On his jacket he wore one rhinestone pin spelling out LUST, one "Chapel Guide" pin and, modestly tucked on his collar, a tiny medal carrying the inscription, "80 Days in Perfect Arithmetic."

"From grammar school," he explained after some coaxing.

"Neibaur-Marsten was formed two years ago when Barbara and I were introduced by a mutual friend," Neibaur began. "We . . ."

Ms. Marsten interjected, "I was interviewing artists and John Johnson walked in . . ."

Neibaur resumed, ". . . so we were all sitting around impressing each other with our brilliant wit," and discussing business which meant designing licensing programs for stationery, dinnerware, handbag and stainless steel flatware accounts.

". . . so we said, we're three perfectly nice people," he continued, "why not be rich and famous and become glamour figures for the whole world? Glamour and wealth, of course, mean fabulous jewels to start with, which is how Caveat Emptor jewelry was . . ."

Ms. Marsten seized command again, here. "We're into our third printing by the American Publishing Company which prints the jewels, which come packaged for mailing with a booklet entitled . . ."

"The booklet takes care of warranties and insurance," forayed Johnson, the most soft-spoken. "Plus service centers, how to wear them, etc."

And how one does wear them "is limited only by your imagination," Johnson mused, while the others vied for position. "You can wear the jewels around your waist . . ."

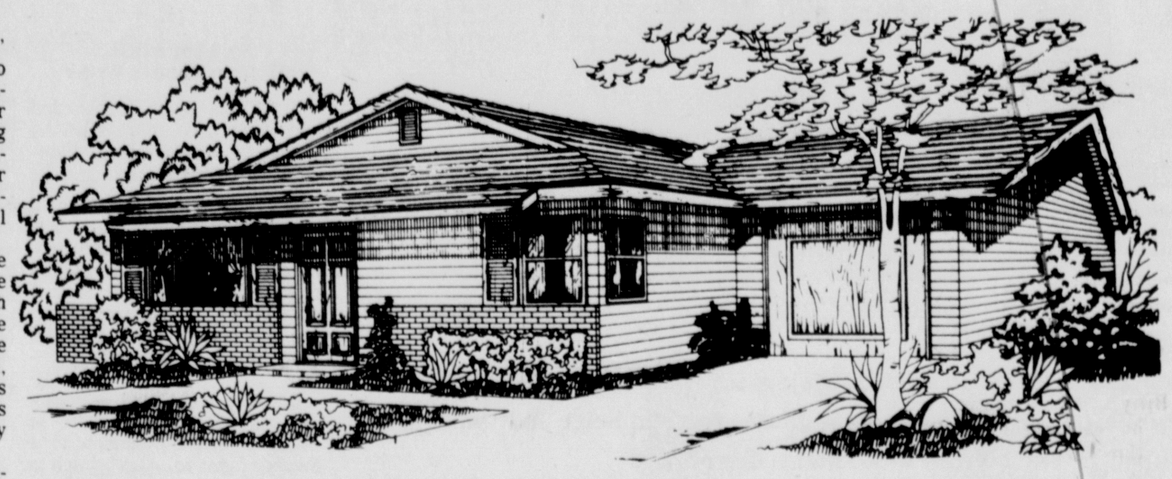
"One of them reverses to a tiara," called Ms. Marsten.

"You have to tape it to your head," Johnson explained loudly, "but then you have to wear it forever because of the tape marks."

"The jewels are also functional," Neibaur yelled. "They're plastic coated so they make terrific coaster sets and luggage tags and place mats for kids."

In short, they are the stuff of which dreams are cut, uh, made.

Economy of construction, lots of space



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by Larry Farnsworth

A house like this one is especially well suited for building on a narrow lot, but the practical good living it provides is welcome anywhere at all.

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Note additionally how the kitchen's corner work area allows maximum space for dining and living center activities. Consider finally, the good sized bedrooms and the garage storage room.

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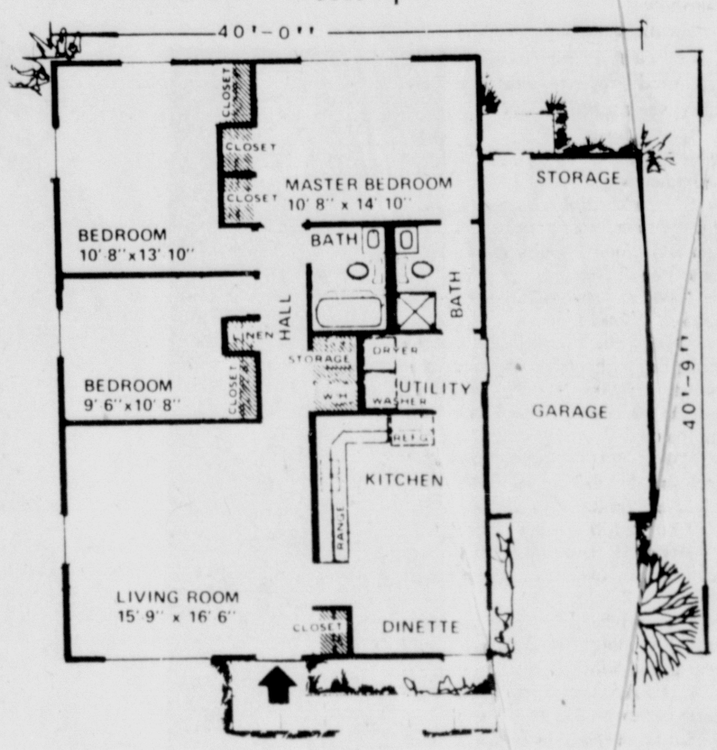

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By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

AFTER-SKIING FARE
Doughnuts Russian Tea

RUSSIAN TEA

Adapted from an out-of-print cookbook of the 50s.

½ cup sugar
2-inch cinnamon stick
1 teaspoon grated lemon rind
1½ teaspoons grated orange rind
2 tablespoons lemon juice
¼ cup orange juice
¼ cup canned unsweetened pineapple juice
3 tablespoons loose tea

Over moderate heat stir together the sugar, ¼ cup water, the cinnamon stick and grated rinds until sugar dissolves and mixture comes to a boil; boil 5 minutes. Remove cinnamon stick. Stir in fruit juices and keep hot but do not boil. Steep tea in 3 cups boiling water for 5 minutes; strain into other mixture; stir well. Serve hot in tea or punch cups. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

Decorating Tips

By Linda Forrest, Designer
Hardwood Institute

ENGLISH FURNITURE LATEST LOOK FOR TODAY'S HOMES

If you love the look of elegant wood styled with tasteful lines, the coming months will undoubtedly be your season to redecorate. For the first time in years, an extensive variety of English-style reproduction furniture will be available in stores, thanks to a new trend towards the classic simplicity for which the English period styles are known. Covering the gamut from Jacobean to Georgian, it's back to Merry Olde England in home furnishings today, with the accent on the highly polished genuine hardwoods that have made English period furniture famous throughout history.

The current rage for English design can largely be attributed to the fact that the simple, uncluttered lines of English period styles mix well with just about every other type of furniture, from way-out modern to angular Oriental. The grace and charm inherent in English tables, chairs and cabinets provide a welcome contrast to more ornate furnishings, while the mellow woods lend warmth to more austere surroundings.

English buffs can look forward to a resurgence of Elizabethan and Tudor furniture, known for its massive appearance and its construction out of rugged, solid oak. For those with less hearty tastes, walnut furniture styled in the period of William and Mary, with inlays and marquetry will have great appeal. Queen Anne furniture made of walnut and mahogany will also enjoy a revival, along with the mahogany furniture originally introduced by the most famous of all cabinetmakers, Thomas Chippendale. Reproductions of the late eighteenth century designs of George Hepplewhite, Thomas Sheraton and the Adam brothers will have great appeal for furniture shoppers with more formal interiors in mind. These late Georgian pieces may well bring back an interest in satinwood furniture, another of the beautiful hardwoods that played a vital role in the history of English furniture design.

Because oak, walnut, mahogany and satinwood contribute so much to the character of English furniture, be sure that the pieces you select are made of these important genuine hardwoods. Plastics and printed grains which imitate the look of real wood lack the depth and elegance so very important to the inherent design style of the furniture of the great English periods, so be careful about your selections when shopping for your English reproductions.

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Sangria Freezer Jam

1 pound fully ripe Concord grapes
1 medium orange
1 medium lemon
1 cup red Burgundy wine (about)
1 package (2 oz) MCP powdered jam and jelly pectin
1 cup Karo light corn syrup
4½ cups sugar

Rinse and stem grapes. Pop grapes with fingers to separate pulp from skins. Place pulp in small saucepan, skins in bowl. Cook pulp, covered, over medium low heat, about 3 minutes, or until pulp is very soft. Run pulp through food mill, turning handle with care, and frequently reversing the blade to avoid crushing seeds. Rinse, quarter and seed orange and lemon. Finely grind grape skins, orange and lemon quarters in food chopper or blender. Mix with grape pulp. There should be about 2 1/4 cups. Add wine to make 3 1/4 cups. Turn into large bowl or saucepan. Slowly sift in pectin, stirring vigorously. Set aside 30 minutes, stirring occasionally. Add corn syrup, stirring well. Gradually stir in sugar. To hasten sugar dissolving, jam mixture may be heated very slightly, but do not heat to more than 100° F (lukewarm). Ladle into washed and scalded 1/2 pint freezer containers leaving 1/2-inch headspace. Cover at once with tight lids (no paraffin needed). Store in freezer; transfer to refrigerator as needed. Makes 7 (1/2-pint) containers.

Egg foo yung pie

Chinese cuisine is truly a classic one. But many, even experienced cooks, shy away from Chinese dishes because of the chopping, stir-frying and unfamiliar vegetables as well as equipment such as a wok. Egg Foo Yung, an omelet type Cantonese dish, isn't all that difficult — especially if served a new way, as a pie.

Traditionally, Egg Foo Yung is individually fried patties served with a brown sauce. Without sacrificing the flavor or distinctive texture, this Egg Foo Yung is designed to fit the needs of today's busy homemaker. It's simply mixed, then baked in a frozen pie crust shell.

One of the secrets of Chinese cooking is to barely cook the vegetables leaving them with a crisp bite. So watch the sauteing of the celery, onions and green peppers; then mix with the rest of the ingredients and pour into the unbaked crust. When baking frozen pie crusts, always bake on a cookie sheet which assures a brown crisp bottom.

To serve, cut the pie, spoon over the brown sauce and serve with fluffy rice and green snow peas. Chinese food has never been so easy!

Egg Foo Yung Casserole

1 Regular Pie Crust Shell
½ cup sliced celery
¼ cup sliced green onion
¼ cup chopped green pepper
1 cup canned bean sprouts
1 can (4-½ oz.) medium shrimp, chopped or 1 cup cooked meat (pork, ham)
¼ cup chopped water chestnuts
6 eggs, slightly beatened
1 tablespoon vegetable oil

Saute celery, onion and green pepper in oil until vegetables are tender, about 5 minutes. Add remaining ingredients. Pour into pie shell. Bake in 350° oven on a cookie sheet until filling is set, about 30 minutes, cut into wedges and top with brown sauce.

Brown Sauce

1 cup chicken stock
4 teaspoons corn starch
2 teaspoons soy sauce

In sauce pan, combine ingredients. Bring to a boil, stirring constantly. Cook and stir until smooth and thickened.

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Santa and the Giant Fighter

By Lucrece Beale

Santa and Billy found Ha-Ha in Ghostland.

Synopsis: Billy gets the Rosanna Ruby, and the Harp Witch puts it in a magic necklace. Then the witch said Billy must not only destroy Goko but all the giants who live with him.

CHAPTER NINE
THE LAUGHING GHOST

Billy's teeth chattered so loud he was afraid that Santa and the Harp Witch might hear it. He was brave as any boy and he was ready to fight Goko the giant. But how could he fight Goko's brothers and his cousins and his nephews?

Santa was discouraged, too. "It can't be done," he groaned. "How can one boy slay so many?"

"He doesn't have to slay them!" rasped the witch. "There are other ways."

She told them about a powerful potion which mixed in the giants' food would turn them into pigs.

"Where are we to get this potion?" asked Santa.

"From the eyes of Ha-Ha the laughing ghost," wheezed the witch. "Make Ha-Ha cry and catch his tears. Three drops will be enough!"

"Why not use this marvelous potion on Goko himself?" exclaimed Santa.

The witch shook her head. "Goko is too powerful. He cannot be turned into any other creature."

The witch gave Billy a little bottle to hold Ha-Ha's tears and she gave Santa a pair of slippers that would take them to Ghostland in seven enormous steps.

Santa put on the slippers and Billy climbed on his back and off they went. With the first step they crossed the ocean. The second step took them over a mighty mountain range. Four more steps and they crossed four continents. The seventh step brought them to Ghostland where spirits and spooks and phantoms lived and no human ever goes.

Ghosts are happy creatures. They sing and play all the day. But Ha-Ha was the happiest ghost in the land. He was called Ha-Ha because he seemed never to stop laughing.

Santa and Billy found Ha-Ha swinging in a rope swing hung from a weeping willow tree. He was dressed in a white sheet that billowed around him like a sail. He was singing a laughing children's song.

How in the world could they get tears from such a joyful creature?

Santa told him who they were and why they had come. Ha-Ha said it was impossible to get tears from him. He had never cried in his life.

"Then," said Santa, "the moon will never rise again."

Ha-Ha laughed. "I don't like moonlight," he said.

"The giant will force the Fairy Queen to marry him," said Santa. "He will be King of all Fairyland."

"That's nothing to me," laughed Ha-Ha.

"The giant has vowed to capture me on Christmas Eve," said Santa.

"Ha ha!" laughed Ha-Ha.

"There will be no more Christmas," said Santa.

Ha-Ha stopped laughing. "No more toys? No more stockings? No more Christmas trees? Not even for ghosts?"

"Not for anyone in all the world," said Santa.

Tears came in Ha-Ha's eyes. They began to roll down his cheeks. "Never Christmas again!" he sobbed. "How sad!"

Billy held out his little bottle and caught Ha-Ha's tears as they dropped from his chin. In two minutes the bottle was full.

"It's all right now," smiled Billy. "Thank you for your help."

But Ha-Ha kept right on crying. "No more Christmas!" he sniffed. "How will we ever manage?"

"We will manage I think!" promised Santa and he strode out of Ghostland with Billy on his back.

They came to the cave where Goko the giant had hidden the moon. Santa took off the Harp Witch's slippers and gave them to the boy.

Then Santa said, "You have the magic words to unlock the moon and the ruby necklace and Ha-Ha's tears. This is all the help I can give you. I must return to Santa Land now for the Fairy Queen said the rest must be done by you alone."

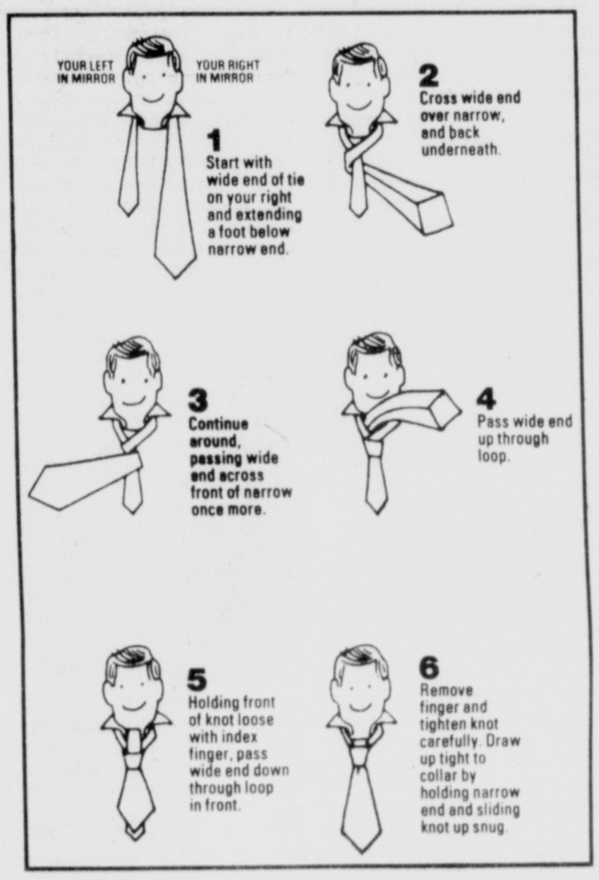
Billy nodded solemnly. He clutched his wooden sword and went alone into the cave.

Tomorrow: Goko the Giant

'Tom Sawyer' to air

Celeste Holm (with parasol), as Aunt Polly, Johnny Whitaker (carrying basket), playing the title role of Tom, and Warren Oates (second from right), portraying Muff Potter, star in the musical adaptation of "Tom Sawyer," a special two-part presentation to be rebroadcast Tuesday, Dec. 14 and Tuesday, Dec. 21 (7:00-8:00 PM, CST) on the CBS Television Network.

Okay, fumblers, here's how



NEW YORK — (NEA) — Boys and young men, women and girls, still are jumping into man-tailored jackets and suits. This means that learning to tie a tie after years of open-collared shirts has become a universal fashion dilemma.

Even the clumsiest fingers can follow the six steps in this progression.

The Four-in-Hand creates a long, straight looking tie. A 'gentleman' always has an inverted, center pleat beneath the knot and ties should just touch the belt buckle.

Neckwear manufacturers now offer tie versions dimensioned for all ages and sizes in a full range of styles and patterns. For pre-teens and teenagers, the easy-care polyesters and nylons with their silky appearances may be more economical and durable than the real thing.

However, the fiber — despite arguments to the contrary — is less important in a tie holding its shape than proper care.

First, when removing a tie, exactly reverse the steps in tieing it. Don't pull it through the small knot, which increases wrinkling. Allow two or three days between wearings so the inevitable creases can fall out. Hanging ties freely on specially-designed racks helps. Exceptions, according to the Men's Tie Foundation, are knitted ties. These should be rolled or folded and stored in a drawer so they don't lose their shape.

Windsor and Half-Windsor knots are generally too bulky for youngsters' and women's necks, so coping with the classic four-in-hand is the simpler and more balanced solution for those who want a tie that is complimentary to their physique.

Try cooking sweet potatoes tempura style in a light batter, quickly fried in hot peanut oil.

Woodward to be show's narrator

Award-winning actress Joanne Woodward will be the on-camera narrator for "Little Women," the ballet version of the Louisa May Alcott novel to be colorcast as an NBC-TV "Special Treat" Tuesday (4-5 p.m. NYT).

Edward Villella will provide original choreography for the ballet and also dance the principal role of tutor John Brooke.

Woodward will portray Mrs. March, who reminisces about her daughters' years of growing up. In the ballet, the role of Mrs. March will be danced by Carol Sumner.

Woodward won an Oscar in 1957 for her performance in "The Three Faces of Eve" and was honored with the New York Film Critics Award in 1967 for "Rachel, Rachel." Other films include "The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds," "Summer Wishes, Winter Dreams," "The Long Hot Summer," "From the Terrace," "A Fine Madness" and "WUSA."

She is married to actor Paul Newman and they live in Connecticut with their three daughters. A ballet enthusiast, she is active in helping dance companies and often attends performances in New York City.

Robert Maxwell composed original music for "Little Women." Sid Smith is director; June Reig, writer-producer.

Musical special to air

A kindly clockmaker, a friendly family of mice and a sensitive Santa Claus join together to add holiday cheer during the coming Yuletide season when " 'Twas the Night Before Christmas," a halfhour musical special narrated by Joel Grey and adapted from Clement Moore's famous Christmas poem, is rebroadcast Friday (8:30-9:00 PM, ET) on the CBS Television Network.

Featured in the special are the voices of Tammy Grimes as Albert Mouse, John McGiver as the mayor of Junctionville, and George Gobel as Father Mouse.

The town of Junctionville is troubled that Santa Claus will pass over their village when they find that his feelings have been hurt by an unsigned letter to the editor of the local paper denouncing him as a myth. Sensitive Santa has returned the town children's letters marked "Not Accepted by Addressee." Only the scholarly Albert Mouse, who resides in the walls of Trundle House, seems to ignore the situation. Could he have written the letter to the editor?

Pumpkin pecan pie

It slices beautifully.

3 tablespoons butter or margarine
Dark brown sugar
1-3rd cup chopped (medium-fine) pecans
Unbaked 9-inch pie shell with high fluted rim
3 eggs
1½ cups canned pumpkin
½ cup granulated sugar
1 teaspoon salt
1½ teaspoons pumpkin-pie spice
1 cup evaporated milk diluted with ½ cup water and scalded
½ cup heavy cream, whipped

Cream butter with 1-3rd cup firmly packed dark brown sugar; stir in pecans; press over bottom of pastry shell. Bake in a preheated 450-degree oven 10 minutes; cool on wire rack. Beat eggs slightly; stir in pumpkin, ½ cup firmly packed dark brown sugar, the granulated sugar, salt and spice; beat in scalded milk mixture. Pour into pie shell. Bake in a preheated 350-degree oven until center is soft but set — 50 minutes. Serve just warm topped with unsweetened whipped cream. Adapted from "The Family Circle Cookbook."

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

The man who boasts that he doesn't care what he says finds his listeners feel exactly the same way.

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Looking back

Band to perform at Armory Hall

50 years ago
December 12, 1926

"The House of David Band," America's most unique musical attraction, will be presented to the Sikeston public on December 16 by C. L. Blanton, jr., and J. Ernest Harper at a dance at the Armory Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wyatt are the proud parents of a son born December 7.

New Madrid--Mr. and Mrs. Hillary Boone of Morehouse spent Wednesday in New Madrid visiting relatives.

Morehouse-- The Cape College Glee Club rendered a fine program to a large appreciateive audicence Monday night.

40 years ago
December 12, 1936

Oran -- Clarence Byers and family were over from Bell City Sunday.

Pleasant Valley--Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dame and children, Naomi, Nora Jo, Virginia, and Robert Earl, visited friends and relatives at Crowder and Vanduser Sunday.

Matthews School notes. The third lyceum number of the year will be presented at the school auditorium Thursday. This will be a program of fun, magic, mystery, and ventriloquism by the Loring Campbell Co.

R. D. Watson, an East Prairie merchant, was fatally injured late Sunday when the car he was driving alone on Highway 55, a mile south of East Prairie, struck a concrete bridge.

30 years ago
December 12, 1946

Arthur Cunningham, paper hanger and carpenter of Sikeston, was found dead in bed Monday at the Jefferson Hotel, where he made his home. He died of a heart attack.

Ernest Grant, prominent farmer of north of Sikeston, died early Monday according to word received by relatives in Sikeston.

Sikeston, with three places, dominated the 1946 Semo Conference All Star football team as picked by the coaches of conference teams for the American Republic at Poplar Bluff. Jack Mitchell at left tackle; G. H. Lewis at right end; and Bob Deneke at fullback were named to the first team. Lackey of Sikeston was named at right guard on the second team; and Weekley of Sikeston was named at center on the third team. Honorable mention was given Bryant at guard, and Boardman and Halter in the backfield.

Dr. W. Gaines Lynch, 44, superintendent of the state training and agricultural school for boys at Nashville, Tenn., and a former resident of Charleston, died Saturday of a heart attack.

On December 7, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Horseley at Southeast Missouri Hospital, Cape Girardeau, and has been given the name of Mary Lou. Mrs. Horsley is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Taylor, 303 Franklin. Mary Lou is also the great granddaughter of Mrs. Nellie Estes of the Franklin address.

20 years ago
December 12, 1956

Babies born at the Delta Community Hospital are reported as follows: A baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. Alva C. Jones of Parma; and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Smith of Lilbourn are parents of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Moore have received word from their son, Sgt. J. D. Moore and wife that they are parents of a daughter born November 27. Sgt. and Mrs. Moore have resided in Augsburg, Germany since February 19. Mrs. Moore is the former Freda Mae Holden, daughter of Mrs. Ruth Holden, also of Sikeston.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hurst of Oran Friday at St. Francis Hospital in Cape.

James Henry Cohen, 207 West Trotter street, died this morning at the Delta Community Hospital, where he had been a patient the past month. He was 77 years old.

Monday, Dennis Ziegenhorn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Ziegenhorn, entertained with a theatre party for a group of his friends to celebrate his ninth birthday.

The Missouri Sportswriters Association today announced the 1956 All-State Football teams. Only one Southeast Missouri boy was named to the starting eleven, and he was Jerry Arant, star tackle for the Poplar Bluff Mules. Three Sikeston Bulldogs received All-State honorable mention. Tony Heckemeyer was picked at tackle; Joe humes at guard; and Jerry Throgmorton at quarterback.

Ham, turkey pair up for versatile holiday

By TOM HOGE
AP Newsfeatures Writer

When I was a child, Christmas meant a week of fun in the home of my grandparents in Virginia.

The climax was the Yuletide feast built around a great turkey flanked by a Smithfield ham such as only a Southerner can cook, and a bowl of creamy oyster stew.

The meal was preceded by a rich eggnog, of which the youngsters were only allowed a couple of spoonfuls, accompanied by celery, pickles and bits of savory sausage.

The meal was climaxed by a damp, rich fruit cake spiked with bourbon whisky and enough homemade cookies to satisfy a small army of hungry grandchildren.

In later years when I came home from school and college to the Long Island home of my parents, we often replaced the traditional turkey with a prime rib roast of beef with oven browned potatoes and creamed onions. But I cannot remember a holiday without ham, often sent to us by relatives in Virginia. Usually it was served with candied sweet potatoes, a combination we also had at Easter.

Ham, both fresh and cured, has a history that goes back a lot farther than turkey. It was the centerpiece at pagan festivals long before Christmas existed.

Legend has it that Columbus brought eight pigs with him on his second trip to the Americas.

When De Soto landed at Charlotte Harbor, Fla., in 1539, he brought with him 13 hogs. It didn't take the Indians long to acquire a fondness for roast pork and records show that the Spanish encampment was burned twice by Braves trying to get at the growing stock of pigs. Years later, when the French explored the Mississippi River, the Indians fed them pork descended from the original De Soto herd.

Ham is also a Christmas favorite in Europe, and here is a recipe I obtained years ago for baked ham with brandy sauce from the Charentais region of France. To make it easier for housewives with small apartment kitchens I substitute canned ham.

- 1 canned ham, about 5 pounds
- ¼ cup apple juice
- ¼ cup cognac
- ¼ cup corn syrup
- ¼ cup brown sugar
- 1 tablespoon dry mustard
- Whole cloves, pineapple and maraschino cherries for decoration

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Mix apple juice, cognac, corn syrup, brown sugar and mustard together and brush on ham after studding it with cloves. Bake for 1 hour basting frequently with above mixture. Garnish with pineapple slices and cherries. Good with a chilled rose wine.

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Comedy team enjoys success

NEW YORK (AP) — A year ago, who heard of 'em?

Penny Marshall remembers the day: "The audience was half asleep and me and this other girl came on, with 14 pages to do, they didn't know who the heck we were, and it got laughs. And the audience that had sat there three hours, and all of a sudden, 'Well, these two girls,' and I said, 'Wait, it's got something.'"

"Laverne & Shirley" was airborne, mid-season, overnight.

"We were terrified. I mean we were terrified either direction it might take," recalls Cindy Williams, who became Shirley Feeney to Miss Marshall's Laverne DeFazio. "We were certain we were going to go into the toilet."

The sudden success of the ABC-TV series, born of another ABC hit, "Happy Days," has the stars still mystified. "We gave it 13 weeks," says Miss Marshall.

"The phenomena of that kind of popularity where you're before 50 million people one night each week, it's something you dream about when you have inklings of becoming an actress," says Miss Williams, who has a string of movies — "Travels With My Aunt," "American Graffiti," "The Conversation" — to her credit. "And then it happens to you and the dangdest sort of chemical reaction takes place. You love it and at the same time you're frightened of it, scared one day maybe they'll take it away."

"We didn't know whether they'd like us," says Miss Marshall, whose own career included lots of TV work — co-star in "Friends and Lovers" with Paul Sand, appearances in "The Mary Tyler Moore Show," "The Bob Newhart Show," "The Odd Couple," many others.

"To go into a show for two very insecure girls, and the show does hinge on the people liking us, and to say this show will be a hit, first-rate, I mean, I don't feel that. And to be told what makes it is they like you two girls and the girls you are playing ... "

And it was in that frame of mind the girls tackled "Laverne & Shirley Sing," an LP album of "oldies" jst out from Atlantic.

"Our reaction to the album was very mixed," says Miss Marshall. "We were working very hard on our show, so the thought of doing an album cut into the time we were devoting to a show and still trying to figure out what the heck we were doing there.

"And we kept saying no on the premise we didn't feel we could sing and, yeah, we didn't have the time to do it."

But Paramount Television was insistent.

So Laverne & Shirley cut "Laverne & Shirley Sing" in a couple days. The "oldies" were picked — by the girls — for a variety of reasons: They liked the sound of "Easier Said Than Done" and "Da Do Ron Ron." They wanted a fast one — "I'm Walkin.' Some were in "character" — Laverne & Shirley character.

They did the record because they had little choice, but Penny Marshall and Cindy Williams did it their way. And though they're pleased with the show's success — and their own popularity — they don't seem to like the notion of a Laverne & Shirley cult.

Dr. Lamb

Woman questions ovary removal

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — My doctor has recommended I have a hysterectomy. I would be grateful for your opinion. I am 47 and use an IUD. I can't take the pill because of hypertension. I have had long periods of bleeding for around two years, lasting from 20 to 90 days.

I want to keep my ovaries. Would you advise them to be removed, and if so why? My Pap smear was negative. If ovaries are left in does estrogen have to be taken? If ovaries are removed is it necessary to take estrogen? What is the danger of cancer of the vagina and breast when taking estrogen? What could be the results if estrogen is not taken?

My mother died in her early 50s from cancer of the cervix so I really want my uterus out but am in a quandry about the rest.

DEAR READER — It is not a good idea to tie your doctor's hands about what he should do once he is doing the surgery. The decision about your ovaries may well depend upon what he finds. If the ovaries are diseased you may be better off without them.

Your ovaries will be nonfunctioning anyway very shortly. You are close to the menopause if you have not already started it. After the menopause you will not be getting any significant amounts of female hormones from your ovaries. The only function your ovaries could serve then would be to cause trouble for you later.

The biggest danger in leaving the ovaries is in ovarian cancer, which accounts for about five per cent of all cancer deaths in women. It is difficult to treat because it is usually not detected until it has spread. This consideration alone, in a woman nearing the change of life or having already been through the menopause, is a good reason to remove the ovaries at the time of a hysterectomy. In a younger woman with healthy ovaries it might be worth leaving the ovaries alone.

I am not sure why you want to keep your ovaries since they are or will be nonfunctioning very soon. Whether your ovaries are surgically removed or just quit functioning you still face the same question of whether you will need female hormones or not. The answer will depend upon how much estrogen your body produces from other sources. The adrenal gland also produces estrogen compounds, and if it produces enough you may not notice the changes of menopause. If it does not you are likely to have hot flashes with sweating and flushing. You may develop changes in the lining of your vagina and even the bladder which will interfere with the function of both.

You are not likely to develop cancer because of taking estrogen, since you will not have a uterus. There is no good evidence at this point that estrogen increases the occurrence of cancer anywhere else in the body. In point of fact there are studies that show women taking estrogen have less cancer than women who do not — with the exception of cancer of the uterus.

When a young woman has her ovaries removed she will have a premature menopause — a surgical menopause. In these instances female hormones are usually prescribed.

To give you more information about the menopause I am sending you The Health Letter number 5-12. Others who want this information can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Just send your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

Celery peas

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

FAMILY DINNER
Meat Loaf — Baked Potatoes
Celery Peas — Tomato S lad
Peach Pudding — Bev' age

CELERY PEAS

The optional pimiento adds attractive color.

- 17-ounce can small early peas
- 1 cup diced (¼-inch) celery
- 1 tablespoon butter or margarine
- Canned drained pimiento, diced (if desired)

Drain the liquid from the peas into a 1-quart saucepan; add the celery. Boil gently, covered, until tender-crisp — 3 to 5 minutes. Add peas and butter; reheat. If used, stir in the pimiento. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

To prevent a cabbagy smell as brussels sprouts cook, put a walnut in the pot. For some reason this cuts down the cooking odor.

What's the law?

The case of the weeping owner

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

Ruby was a follower of the Sport of Kings. One day she drove her car into a parking lot adjacent to a race track, pulled into an empty space, locked her car, dumped the keys into her purse and optimistically entered the portals of the racing emporium.

She proceeded to lose not only the equivalent of her shirt, but her car as well. Having dropped a small bundle on the nags, she returned to the parking lot to find that her automobile had been stolen.

While Ruby had lost her bucks with all the grace of a true horse player (she bit her lips quietly), she wept openly at the theft of her car and sued the operator of the parking lot tor her loss.

"When I went to the track," she told the judge, "I knew I was risking the disappearance of my money, but not that of my car. The operator of the parking lot had a duty to protect it for me."

"Nonsense!" responded the parking lot proprietor. "I never agreed to protect her car. All I did , in effect, was to rent her a space in which to park it. If Ruby wanted protection, she should have gone to Camelot, not to a race track."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make the proprietor of the parking lot pay Ruby for her stolen car?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held that Ruby had retained possession of her car at all times. She parked it herself, locked it and kept the keys. All the parking lot proprietor did was give her permission to leave her car in his lot. This, concluded the judge, imposed upon him no liability for its theft.

(Based upon a 1969 New York Civil Court Decision)

Cabbage pork

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

CHINESE-STYLE SUPPER
Won-Ton Soup
Cabbage Pork — Rice
Fruit Cup — Almond Cookies

PHYLL'S CABBAGE PORK

Economical and flavorsome.

- 4 tablespoons peanut oil
- 1 pound boneless pork loin, cut in thin strips
- 1 medium onion, cut in thin strips
- 5 cups firmly packed shredded (¼ inch wide strands) cabbage
- 1 thin slice ginger root, minced
- 1 large clove garlic, minced
- Sauce Mixture, see below

In a 12-inch skillet heat 2 tablespoons of the oil. Over moderate heat, stir-fry the pork until cooked through — about 3 minutes. With a slotted spoon, remove pork. To skillet add remaining oil, the onion, cabbage, ginger and garlic; stir-fry just until vegetables are slightly cooked — 3 to 5 minutes. Add the Sauce Mixture and stir constantly until thickened. Makes 4 hearty servings.

Sauce Mixture: Stir together 3 tablespoons cornstarch, 1 teaspoon sugar, 2 tablespoons soy sauce and 1 tablespoon dry sherry; gradually stir in 2 chicken bouillon cubes dissolved in 2 cups hot water, keeping smooth.

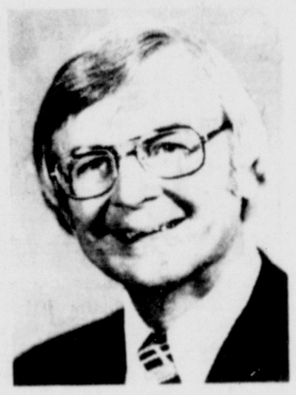
The pastor speaks

He comes as a babe

He comes as a babe! Only God could have thought of such a thing as this! Our human nature is such that we are far too anxious to impress others. We surround the coming of VIPs with expensive publicity. We roll out the red carpet, line up the local dignitaries, and make sure that the media gives the story full cover! Even the launching of a new model of a car or the marketing of some new detergent will be given the full treatment.

But when God's only Son came into the world, he chose to be born to an humble girl who was betrothed to a village carpenter, just at the time when a census involved them in a long and difficult journey.

We expect our own children to be born in the clinical atmosphere of a maternity ward or in the comfortable surroundings of our homes. But he was born in a stable- because there was no room for them in the inn. Yet the magic of that simplicity, with its humble backdrop of ox and ass standing by, has captivated the hearts of



Dr. Arthur C. Fulbright

men and women down the ages. Children, too, are quite naturally at ease with the Son of God who came as a baby in a manger.

Does not this question our own assumption that we must impress others with our importance and learning? Or with our wealth and position? Do we thus create barriers so that other folk feel out of place?

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"I can't reach the paper towels."

Today in U.S. history

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, Dec. 12, the 347th day of 1976. There are 19 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

In 1642, the Dutch navigator Abel Tasman discovered New Zealand.

On this date:

In 1792, 22-year-old Ludwig Van Beethoven paid 19 cents for his first music lesson — from Franz Joseph Haydn.

In 1804, Spain declared war on Britain.

In 1894, Japanese troops invaded Korea.

In 1937, the U.S. gunboat Panay was sunk by the Japanese on the Yangtze River in China.

In 1944, Tokyo was partially evacuated because of firebombing by American planes.

In 1964, Kenya became an independent republic within the British Commonwealth.

Ten years ago: Former President Dwight Eisenhower was reported in good condition after an operation for the removal of his gall bladder.

Five years ago: President Richard Nixon arrived in the Azores for a meeting with President Georges Pompidou of France.

One year ago: Sara Jane Moore pleaded builty in San Francisco to charges of attempting to kill President Ford Sept. 22.

Today's birthday: Frank Sinatra is 61.

Thought for today: It is impossible, in our condition of society, not be sometimes a snob. — W.M. Thackeray, English writer, 1811-1863.

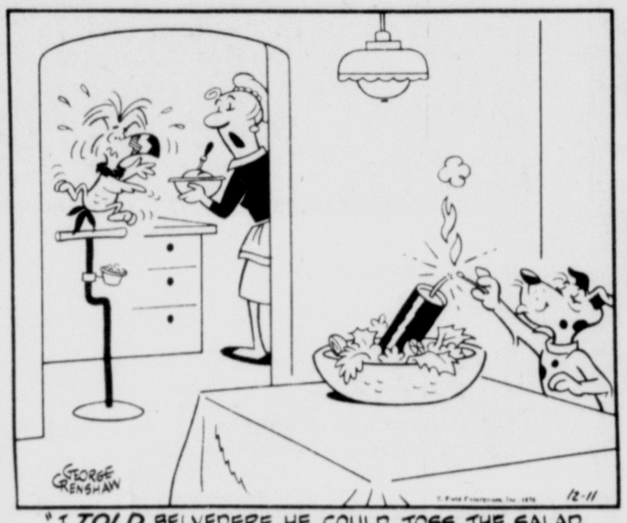
Bicentennial footnote: Two hundred years ago today, the American Continental Congress moved from Philadelphia to Baltimore as British forces advanced toward the Pennsylvania city.

They'll Do It Every Time

AMY — By Jack Tippit

"Archie, what's a nice dog like you doing in a place like this?"

OUR BOARDING HOUSE — with Major Hoople



"I TOLD BELVEDERE HE COULD TOSS THE SALAD. NOW WHAT'S ALL THE COMMOTION?"

FUNNY BUSINESS — By Roger Bollen

MARY WORTH by Ernst Saunders

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STAR GAZER — By CLAY R. POLLAN

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2 Buy	32 A	62 Problems
3 A	33 Are	63 New
4 Make	34 You	64 And
5 Do	35 Alarmed	65 Things
6 Plans	36 Outlines	66 Inattentive
7 Impulsive	37 Where	67 Accusations
8 Romantic	38 Straight	68 Further
9 Companion	39 In	69 Concerned
10 Your	40 And	70 Person
11 Consideration	41 May	71 Surprised
12 Speech	42 Be	72 That'll
13 Pays	43 Can	73 Refusing
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15 Not	45 In	75 Mind
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10 Russian river
11 Station (Fr.)
19 Abominable snowman
21 Rosy
23 Besides
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26 Brownish purple
27 Indian of Peru
28 Jane Austen title
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31 Philosopher Marx
32 Eye infection
35 Drinks
38 Son of Seth
40 Leaping creature
43 Began (2 wds.)
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THE RYATTS by Jack Elrod

BEETLE BAILEY by Mort Walker

Suits don't need occasions

By Charles Hix

NEW YORK — (NEA) — The wedding was in June. The bride's relatives are still beaming. Not about the bride's beauty or the bridegroom's nervousness but because of her younger brother Bobby's attire. They'd never seen the 14-year-old in a suit before. Bobby looked terrific.

Although there always have been special occasion suits — suits for his first communion, his bar mitzvah, his high school graduation — this year lots of boys, teenagers and young men are dressing up without an occasion. It's the tenor of the time, even if their voices are still changing.

Norman Karr, the executive director of Men's Fashion Association of America, notes, "Prior to this last Easter, stores started reporting tremendous interest in suits, jackets and slacks for youngsters. Apparently the kids decided on this look without adult prompting. I have a hypothesis. All the summer TV re-runs pictured detectives in three-piece vested suits. As Citizens of the Television World, lots of kids saw this 'new' way of dressing and liked it. Could it be that Kojak is responsible for younger males dressing up?"

Whatever the reason, everyone approves. Especially makers of boys' and young men's tailored clothing. For them, the trend means nifty sales figures. At Calvin Clothes, one of the country's leading producers of boyswear, senior vice president Larry Abelson divulges there will be a 50 per cent increased volume within dress-up categories (suits, blazers, sports jackets and tailored trousers) for this season over last.

Boys' clothing is offered in sizes 6-20. In industry parlance, sizes 6-12 are called Junior, 13-20 are Prep. There is little or no correlation between size and age, since usually the size of a garment is a couple years ahead of the boy's chronological age: A boy of 12 seldom wears that size and may require a size 14 or 16. A Junior suit in the Calvin line averages about $57 retail; a Prep suit about $77. Designers labels from Cardin and John Weitz are also marketed by Calvin with higher price tags.

"The beginning of the dress-up explosion coincided with the fast drop in popularity of the leisure suit," says Abelson. "Up to a few years ago, 'vested' was a dirty word in boyswear. Now it's as important for boys as for men."

A spokesperson for J.P. Stevens, the textiles giant, also notes that fabrics like fine woolens, previously presumed to have primarily adult appeal, are being used extensively in boyswear, particularly among designer collections.

With the rebirth of dressier clothing among young males, boys' dress shirts are also enjoying an upsurge. Al Leventhal, vice president of sales for Van Heusen Boyswear, remarks, "Comparing our fourth quarter fall business this year to 1975, we've seen that the long sleeve shirt is now definitely a dress-up business. Last year, about 15 per cent of the quarter's orders were in dress shirts, 85 per cent in more casual prints. This year, the exact reverse — about 85 per cent in dress shirtings."

The trend is not isolated to the Northeast, as many critics suggest. In fact, most boyswear manufacturers point to the rapid acceptance of dressier styles in the Heartland.

Representative of boyswear buyers who are pulsing the new flow of clothing is Betty Miller at The Union in Columbus, Ohio. She's projecting a 10-15 per cent increase this year in tailored "classics" for boys. Ms. Miller remarks that this figure might have been higher, except that the specialty store's competitors have augmented their stocks this year. Last year they were very light while The Union had already successfully begun the plunge.

Noting that blazers outsell suits in Junior (12 and under) sizes, she says that suits are the first choice in the larger Prep sizes.

"The most important aspect in choosing a first suit is the fit. To look good, it shouldn't appear sloppy or skimpy. It's not good simply to buy a suit that's too big for the boy to 'grow into.' Since there's not much excess fabric in boy's suits for letting out, it's better to buy a suit and have it altered to take up the sleeve length and the seat of the pants, which can be let out later. On the other hand, a tight fit should always be discouraged. Interestingly, we're finding that a lot of mature but small men are shopping our department for proper fit and price advantage."

Unfortunately, depending upon a boy's or young man's build, the price advantage may not correspond to fittability. Generally, in a sports jacket or suit coat, adding 16 inches to the sizes determines the chest size of the garment. For example, a boy's size 16 has a 32-inch chest expanse; a size 18 has a 34-inch chest measurement. In pant sizes, no easy formula exists, but size 16 trousers have 27 and one-half-inch waists, while size 18 has 28 and one-half inches.

For some physiques, this "drop" — the differential between chest and waist — is too meager. This fit problem, combined with pricing considerations, has led Pierre Cardin to introduce a new line of clothing called the Avant Garde collection. The designer's most inexpensive suiting line for men (about $135 for a single-breasted, vested model), the suits have an eight-inch drop. A size 36 (for the chest) has a 28-inch waist on the trousers.

"The concept is definitely for the young man," explains Harold Schlack, manager of the Avant Garde line. "His age is probably 18 to 24, but he could be younger or older depending upon his build and finances. Having grown up in jeans, he may be buying his first suit for his first job, but he doesn't want a lumpish, schoolboy look. He wants natural fibers and a sense of style without an exorbitant price tag. This is a whole new market. The groundswell hasn't been fully felt yet. But the mood of the country is changing, especially in the Midwest, in Omaha, in Colorado, in the farmlands of Pennsylvania. Youth is settling down. And that means dressing up. Everyone's talking about younger men becoming more fashion-conscious but the phenomenon is only beginning."

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Bates, Collins star in new horror film

Ralph Bates

The most important thing about acting, according to British star Ralph Bates, is making the audience "believe."

And that's just what Bates does in his new terror-drama, "The Devil Within Her."

Bates' background was certainly aimed in a totally different direction from acting. Both his parents were psychiatrists in Bristol, England, and his maternal grandfather was the great French scientist, Louis Pasteur. He had always intended to become a doctor himself.

However, when Bates caught the acting fever in school, neither of his parents pushed him. He admits, though, that they probably doubted the wisdom of his choice when his first paid performance brought in a whopping $3, for three weeks work.

Bates will admit he's doing better than that now.

Peter Sasdy directed "The Devil Within Her," which also stars Joan Collins, Donald Pleasance and Eileen Atkins. The screenplay was written by Stanley Price from the original story by executive producer Nato De Angeles.

Joan Collins

"I certainly wouldn't want to be labeled a 'queen or horror'," stated lovely Joan Collins, "but I thoroughly enjoyed making "The Devil Within Her."

In "The Devil Within Her," Ms. Collins plays the mother of a baby born with a disturbing, apparently in-built hatred of its own parents, especially her.

"The terrifying thing about it," she says, "is the developing implication that the child is somehow connected with several mysterious murders."

"There is some violence in the film," she stated, "but I would far rather be in a horror film, which is recognizable as pure fantasy, than in a movie depicting brutal violence and sadistic sex."

Ms. Collins claims that parts for women today fall into definite categories, listing them as the "horror heroine," the "harassed heroine" of the super-normal and murder yarn, and the sexy-bird-look role.

Her favorite roles are in comedy, which is becoming popular again. She explains that in a comedy an actor must stretch himself to the limits of his abilities. Making people laugh and keeping them laughing is much harder than frightening them.

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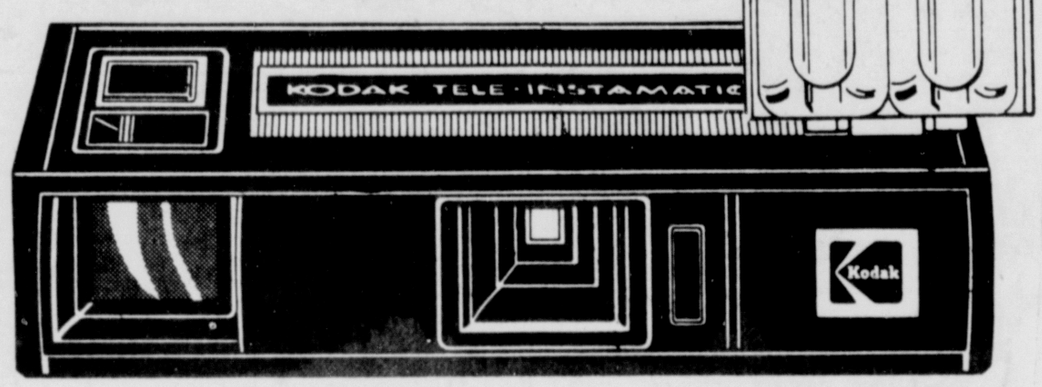

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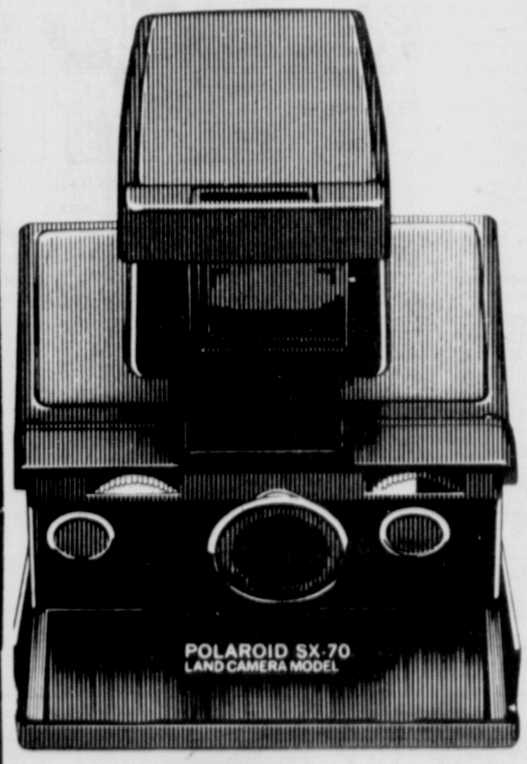

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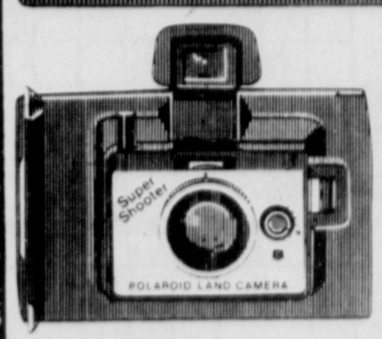

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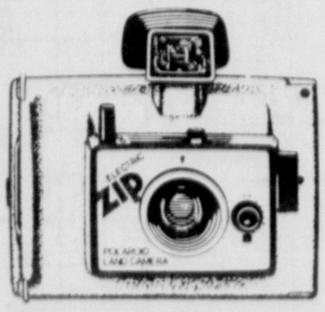

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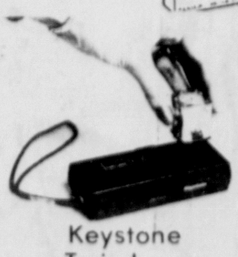

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Daytime Schedules

DAYTIME
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)

7:00-Popeye
7:30-Little Rascals
8:00-Ultraman
8:30-Rin Tin Tin
9:00-I Dream of Jeannie
9:30-Financial Observer
10:00-Business Newscast
10:30-700 Club
12:00-Financial Observer
12:45-Community Views
2:00-15 Min. Business Newscast
2:50-10 Min. Business Newscast
3:00-Little Rascals
3:30-Popeye
4:00-Aquaman-Batman-Superman
4:30-Superman
5:00-Monkees
5:30-My Three Sons
6:00-Brady Bunch

DAYTIME
KETC-TV-ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)

6:30-AM G.E.D.
7:00-To Be Announced
7:30-Lilias, Yoga and You
3:00-PM-Sesame Street
4:00-Mister Rogers
4:30-Electric Company

DAYTIME
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)

8:30-Morning Report
8:50-Instructional Programming
10:00-Electric Co.
10:30-Instructional Planning
11:30-Sesame St.
12:30-Afternoon Report
12:50-Inst. Programming
3:30-Mr. Rogers
4:00-Sesame Street
5:00-Evening Report
5:30-Electric Company
6:00-Zoom

DAYTIME
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(Cable 7)

6:25-Arthur Smith Show
6:54-Pastor Speaks
7:00-Today Show
9:00-Sanford & Son
9:30-Romper Room
9:55-Calendar
10:00-Wheel of Fortune
10:30-Stumpers
11:00-50 Grand Slam
11:30-The Gong Show
11:55-NBC News
12:00-News Beat '76
12:30-Days of Our Lives
1:30-The Doctors
2:00-Another World
3:00-Somerset
3:30-Gilligan's Island
4:00-Brady Bunch
4:30-Ironside
Friday Only
4:00-Ironside
5:00-Montage
5:30-NBC Nightly News
6:00-News Beat '76

TV DAYTIME
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)

6:00-Sunrise Semester
6:30-Breakfast Show
7:00-CBS Morning News
8:00-Captain Kangaroo
9:00-The Price is Right
10:00-Doubledare
10:30-Love of Life
10:55-CBS Midday News
11:00-Young and Restless
11:30-Search for Tomorrow
12:00-The Farm Picture
12:05-The Noonday News
12:30-As the World Turns
1:30-The Guiding Light
2:00-All in the Family
2:30-Match Game '76
3:00-Tattletales
3:30-Mickey Mouse Club
4:00-Bewitched
4:30-Andy Griffith Show
5:00-To Tell the Truth
5:30-The Regional News
6:00-CBS Evening News

DAILY LISTINGS
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.

7:00-NPR News & Closer Look
7:15-Morning Air
8:00-NPR News
8:05-WKMS Local News
9:00-NPR News
9:05-SPECIAL: Live coverage from Sweden Nobel Prizes
10:45-Masterworks Showcase
12:00-University Scene
12:05-University Comment
12:30-Afternoon News
1:00-Afternoon Classics
2:00-SPECIAL Nobel Prizes
4:00-All Things Considered
4:30-Local News
5:30-Classics A la Carte
6:30-WKMS Evening News

DAYTIME
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)

7:00-Good Morning America
9:00-700 Club
10:30-Happy Days
11:00-Don Ho Show
11:30-All My Children
12:00-Ryan's Hope
12:30-Family Feud
1:00-$20,000 Pyramid
1:30-One Life to Live
2:15-General Hospital
3:00-Edge of Night
4:00-M-Th.-MGM Theatre
F-U.S. Farm Report
4:30-F-Soul Train

Sunday's Schedule

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 12

CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)

6:00-Christopher Closeup
6:30-Sunday Morning News
7:00-Human Dimension
7:30-Herald of Truth
8:00-Hudson Brothers
8:30-For Out Space Nuts
9:00-1st Baptist Church
10:00-Camera Three
10:30-Face the Nation
11:00-This is the Life
11:30-NFL Football
St. Louis at N.Y. Giants
Wash. at Dallas
6:00-60 Minutes
7:00-Sonny & Cher
8:00-Kojak
9:00-Delvecchio
10:00-CBS Weekend News
10:15-Channel 12 Sun. Nite News
10:45-Gunsmoke
11:45-Late News Highlights

DECEMBER 12
SUNDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)

7:00-Blue Ridge Quartet
7:30-Day of Discovery
8:00-James Robison
8:30-Oral Roberts
9:00-Old Time Gospel Hr.
10:00-Odd Ball Couple
10:30-Animals, Animals
11:00-Issues & Answers
11:30-Don Young Presents
12:00-Gilligan
12:30-What Will We Say to a Hungry World
5:30-Wild Kingdom
6:00-Santa Claus in Christmas Town
7:00-Six Million $ Man
8:00-Sun. Night Movies
Seven Ups
10:00-ABC Weekend News
10:15-700 Club
12:00-Sign Off

SPS-CATV-6

LOCAL CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS TO BE PRESENTED FRIDAY.....

Sikeston Public Schools will present four Christmas Programs Friday, December 17, beginning at 6:30 p.m. on CATV-6 ... first will be "SPS News, Sports and Activities," followed at 6:45 by the Sikeston High School's Moderne Chorale's performance at the First Methodist Church, then at approximately 7:15 the students of Lee Hunter School presents their Christmas play, "Snow." Following this, at approximately 7:45 will be the Concert Choirs Annual Christmas Concert.

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DECEMBER 12
SUNDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)

7:00-Montage
7:30-Gospel Singing Jubilee
8:30-Paducah Devotion
9:15-Hamilton Bros.
9:30-Children's Gospel Hr.
10:00-Changed Lives
10:30-A Conversation with Isaac Baskeves Singer
11:00-Meet the Press
11:30-Grandstand
12:00-NFL Football
3:00-Ky. Afield
3:30-Formby Antique Workshop
4:00-NBC Religious
5:00-News Beat '76
5:30-Sunday Night News
6:00-Tiny Tree
6:30-Hallmark-"Peter Pan"
8:30-Big Event Money Changers Pt. 3
10:00-News Beat '76
10:30-Golden Age of Hollywood
The Conspirators

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 12
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)

4:30-Idea Thing
5:00-Crockett's Victory Garden
5:30-Consumer Survival Kit
6:00-The Adams Chronicles
7:00-Evening at Symphony
8:00-Masterpiece Theatre
How Green Was My Valley
9:00-Nova
10:00-Movie
Elvira Madigan

SUNDAY
KETC-TV-ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)

8:00-Sesame St.
9:00-Mister Rogers
9:30-Sesame St.
10:30-Electric Co.
11:00-Sesame St.
12:00-Villa Alegre
12:30-Rebop
1:00-Commercial Union Masters Tennis Tourn.
5:00-Consumer Surivival Kit
5:30-The Boston Pops in Hollywood
7:00-Marek
8:00-Masterpiece Theatre
How Green Was My Valley
9:00-The Good Old Days of Radio
10:30-Monty Python's Flying Circus
11:00-The Picnic
11:30-St. Louis Sings

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 12
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)

7:30-Ministry of Rev.
8:00-Voice of Victory
8:30-Jimmy Swaggart
9:00-Monkees
9:30-Superman
10:00-Great Western Theatre
"Iron Mistress"
12:00-Robert Schuller
1:00-Christ is the Answer
1:30-Revival Fires
2:00-Day of Discovery
2:30-Overseas Mission
3:00-FGBMI Good News
3:30-Ernest Angley Hour
4:30-Formby's Antiques
5:00-Million $ Movie
"A Family Affair"
6:30-St. Louis Blues Hockey
9:00-The 700 Club
10:00-Old Time Gospel Hour
11:30-Wrestling

SUNDAY DECEMBER 5
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)

7:00-Sabbath Musicale
8:00-Sonata de Camera
10:00-Early Composers
12:00-International Concent Hall
2:00-Bicentennial Concert
Vermont
3:00-Speaking of American Music
4:00-NPR Recital Hall
5:45-Classics a la Carte
7:00-Voices in the Wind
8:00-Folk Festival
10:00-Jazz Revisited
10:30-Nightflight-Jazz

Monday's Schedule

MONDAY
SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CATV-6 (6 Cable)

8:25-Without Warning
10:35-How Many Lifetimes
1:25-Pattern of Profession
2:30-A Questionof Balance

Each daytime news cast will be followed by the Moderne Chorale Performance at the Methodist Church. The 6:30 news cast will be followed y the Moderne Chorale at 6:45, by the Lee Hunter Christmas Show at 7:15 and by the Concert Choir's Annual Christmas Concert at 7:45.

MONDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)

6:30-Adam-12
7:00-Masada: Monument to Freedom
8:00-Movie
Anastasia
10:00-Mary Hartman
10:30-Honeymooners
11:00-Have Gun, Will Travel
11:30-700 Club

MONDAY
KETC-TV-ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)

5:00-Sesame St.
6:00-Electric Co.
6:30-Zoom
7:00-The Adams Chronicles
8:00-Edith Piaf
9:30-Birth Without Violence
10:00-Kaleidoscope Tonight
10:30-The Six Wives of Henry VIII
12:00-St. Louis Sings

MONDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
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6:30-SIU Report

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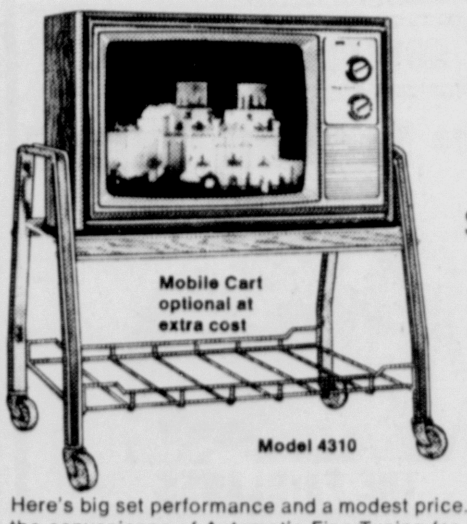

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9:00-Soundstage
10:00-Movie
"The Lady Killers"

MONDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
6:30-Pop Goes the Country
7:00-Little Drummer Boy
7:30-Bob Hope Christmas Show
9:00-Perry Como Christmas Show
10:00-News Beat '76
10:30-Tonight Show
12:00-Tomorrow Show

MONDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
10:00-Masterworks Showcase
12:05-University Comment
7:15-Racer Basketball Roosevelt
9:30-Alec Wilder & American Pop Song
10:30-Nightflight-Rock

MONDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:30-The Muppet Show
7:00-Rhoda
7:30-Phyllis
8:00-Maude
8:30-All's Fair
9:00-Executive Suite
10:00-Channel 12 Reports
10:30-CBS Late Movie
The Family Nobody Wanted
12:30-Late News Highlights

MONDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)
5:30-Cactus Pete
6:15-News & Weather
6:30-Evening News
7:00-Natl. Finals Rodeo
10:00-Weather & News
10:30-ABC Mon Night Special
12:00-News & Sign Off

Tuesday's Schedule

TUESDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)
5:30-Cactus Pete
6:15-News & Weather
6:30-ABC Evening News
7:00-Year Without Santa Claus
7:30-Laverne & Shirley
8:00-John Denver Special
9:00-Barbara Walters & Friends
10:00-Weather & News
10:30-Tues. Mystery Movie
12:00-News & Sign Off

TUESDAY
SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CATV-6 (6 Cable)
8:25-Curse Not the Deaf
10:35-Farmers Who Bank on Themselves
1:25-No Man is an Island
2:30-The Crucified and Risen Christ

TUESDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
6:30-Adam-12
7:00-Maverick
8:00-Movie
Operation Amsterdam
10:00-Mary Hartman
10:30-The Honeymooners
11:00-Have Gun Will Travel
11:30-700 Club

TUESDAY
KETC-TV-ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
5:00-Sesame St.
6:00-Electric Co.
6:30-Zoom
7:00-Preservation Hall Jazz Band
8:00-Ragtime Years
9:00-The World Series of Jazz
10:--Kaleidoscope Tonight!
10:30-Elizabeth
12:00-St. Louis Sings

TUESDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:30-Black Dimensions
7:00-The Boston Pops in Hollywood
8:30-Our Story
9:00-Chinatown
10:00-Movie
"The Importance of Being Ernest"

TUESDAY
PADUCAH (5) NBC
6:30-$128,000 Question
7:00-Baa, Baa Black Sheep
8:00-Police Woman
9:00-Police Story
10:00-News Beat
10:30-Tonight Show
12:00-Tomorrow Show

TUESDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:30-Name That Tune
7:00-Adventures of Tom Sawyer
8:00-MASH
8:30-One Day at a Time
9:00-Switch
10:00-Channel 12 Reports
10:30-Movie
Kojak
The Hound of the Baker-sville
1:20-Late News Highlights

TUESDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
12:05-Community Comment
7:00-Across the Atlantic
7:30-Science Journal
8:00-Chicago Symphony Orchestra
10:00-Nightflight

Wednesday's Schedule

WEDNESDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
6:30-Adam-12
7:00-Maverick
8:00-Movie
High Time
10:00-Mary Hartman Mary Hartman
10:30-Honeymooners
11:00-Have Gun Will Travel
11:30-700 Club

WEDNESDAY
KETC-TV (ST. LOUIS) (9)
(Cable 9)
5:00-Sesame St.
6:00-Electric Co.
6:30-Zoom
7:00-American Ballet Theatre
8:00-Philemon
10:00-Kaleidoscope Tonight
10:30-Elizabeth
12:00-St. Louis Sings

WEDNESDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:30-Outdoors with Art Reid
7:00-Nova
8:00-Great Performances
9:00-Three American Goldsmiths
9:30-Stonewall Joe
10:00-Movie
Saps at Sea

WEDNESDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
6:30-Good Ole Nashville
7:00-John Davidson Christmas Show
8:00-Dean Martin Roast
9:00-Mac Davis Christmas Special
10:00-News Beat '76
10:30-Tonight Show
12:00-Tomorrow Show

WEDNESDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:30-Price Is Right
7:00-Good Times
7:30-Jeffersons
8:00-Wed Nigt Movies
The Getaway
10:00-Channel 12 Reports
11:00-CBS Late Movie
Gunfight at the O K Corral
1:00-Late News Highlights

WEDNESDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
12:05-University Comment
7:15-Racer Basketball
10:00-Nightflight

WEDNESDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
5:30-Cactus Pete
6:15-Weather & News
6:30-Evening News
7:00-Bionic Woman
8:00-Baretta
9:00-Charlies Angels
10:00-Weather & News
10:30-ABC Mystery-Rookies
12:00-News & Sign Off

WEDNESDAY
SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CATV-6 (6 Cable)
9:30-A Question of Balance
10:35-Pattern of a Profession
1:25-How Many Lifetimes
2:30-Without Warning

Thursday's Schedule

THURSDAY
SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CATV-6 (6 Cable)
9:30-The Crucified and Risen Christ
10:35-No Man is an Island
1:25-Curse Not the Deaf
2:30-Farmers Who Bank on Themselves

THURSDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
6:30-St. Louis Blues Hockey
9:00-Garry Unger's N.H.L.
9:15-TBA
10:00-Mary Hartman
10:30-The Honeymooners
11:00-Have Gun, Will Travel
11:30-700 Club

THURSDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)
6:00-Cactus Pete
6:15-News — Weather
6:30-ABC Evening News
7:00-Welcome Back Kotter
7:30-Barney Miller
8:00-Tony Randall
8:30-Nancy Walker
9:00-ABC Closeup-Divorce
10:00-Weather & News
10:30-Sts of San Fran.-Dan August
12:45-Late News & Sign Off

THURSDAY
KETC-TV-ST. LOUIS 9)
(Cable 9)
5:00-Sesame St.
6:00-Electric Co.
6:30-Zoom
7:00-Masterpiece Theatre
How Green Was My Valley
8:00-I.F. Stone's Weekly
9:00-P.L.O. OTO
10:00-Kaleidoscope Tonight

CHRISTMAS ON CHANNEL 9

Channel 9's Christmas week is full of specials, ranging from a ballet performance of Tchiakovsky's "The Nutcracker" to a humorous locally produced exploration of the ways in which the season has been celebrated throughout history.

The special christmas programming begins at 7 p.m. Monday, December 20 when Richard Kiley looks at Christmas customs and introduces choral performances. "Richard Kiley's Christmas Celebration" will also air at 9:30 p.m. Thursday, December 23.

The Mormon Youth Symphony performs a variety of seasonal music on "The Music of Christmas," airing at 7:30 p.m. Monday and 9:30 p.m. Wednesday, December 20 and 22 on Channel 9.

At 8 p.m. Monday, December 20, Andre Kostalenetz conducts the National Symphony Orchestra in a performance of "The Nutcracker." The Christmas classic will also be danced by Ballet West of Salt Lake City at 7 p.m. Tuesday, December 21. The Utah Symphony Orchestra will accompany the production.

At 7 p.m. Wednesday, December 22, the St. Olaf Choir presents a "Choral christmas Special." Following this hour-long program at 8 p.m., Channel 9 presents a rendition of the "Chester Mystery Play." The mystery play dramatizes the Biblical story of Christmas from the fall of Lucifer to the birth of Christ. In the Middle Ages, mystery plays were written by priests and monks and were performed by craft guild members.

10:30-Elizabeth
12:00-St. Louis Sings

THURSDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:30-Sportempo
7:00-Movie
How Green was my Valley
8:00-Visions
10:00-Movie
Elvira Madigan

THURSDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
6:30-Porter Wagoner
7:00-Van Dyke — Co.
8:00-Best Sellers
9:00-Gibbsville
10:00-News Beat '76
10:30-Tonight Show
12:00-Tommorrow Show

THURSDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:30-Wild World of Animals
7:00-Waltons
8:00-Hawaii Five-O
9:00-Barnaby Jones
10:00-Channel 12 Reports
10:30-CBS Late Movies
Kojak
Sapphire
1:20-Late News Highlights

THURSDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
12:05-Nat. Press Club
7:00-That's Our Business
7:30-Murray Common Council
10:00-Nightflight-soul

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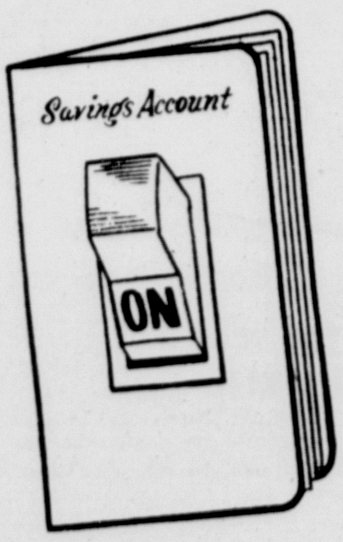

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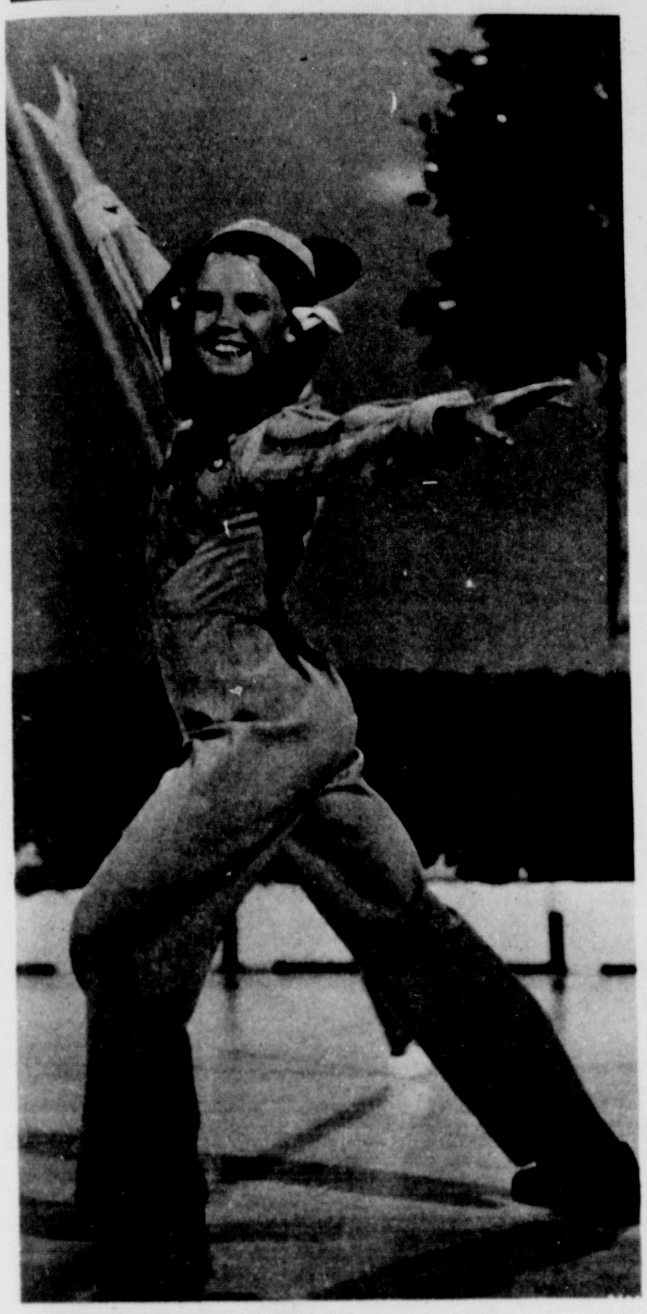

NEW MOUSEKETEER JULIE PIEKARSKI TEAMS WITH ANNETTE ON MICKEY MOUSE CLUB DEC. 15

Mouseketeer Julie Piekarski of the "New Mickey Mouse Club" (beginning January 17, 1977) returns for a special visit to the "Mickey Mouse Club" Wednesday, December 15th.

Julie introduces Annette Funicello who takes us behind the scenes of the cast party held after the shooting of Disney's feature film, "Babes In Toyland."

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Friday's Schedule

FRIDAY
SIKESTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CATV-6 (6 Cable)
8:25 School News, Sports And Activities
9:30 School News, Sports And Activities
10:35 School News, Sports And Activities
12:30 School News, Sports And Activities
1:25 School News, Sports And Activities
2:30 School News, Sports and Activities
6:30 School News Sports And Activities

FRIDAY
HARRISBURG (3) ABC
(3 Cable)
5:30 ABC Evening News
6:00 Oral Roberts Christmas Sp
7:00 Donny & Marie
8:00 Fri. Nite Movie
Young Pioneer Christmas
10:00 Weather & News
10:30 S.W.A.T.
11:37 Friday Late Movie
Lost Rebel
1:30 News & Sign Off

FRIDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
12:05 University Comment
7:00 Options
8:00 New York Philharmonic
10:00 Earplay
11:00 The Oldies Show

FRIDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:30 People, Problems & Progress
7:00 Washington Review
7:30 Wall Street Week
8:00 Giving Birth
9:00 Firing Line
10:00 The Goodies
10:30 Movie

FRIDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
6:30 Candid Camera
7:00 Sanford & Son
7:30 Chico & the Man
8:00 Rockford Files
9:00 Serpico
10:00 News Beat 76
10:30 Tonight show
12:00 Midnight Special

FRIDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (13) CBS
6:30 Dolly
7:00 Frosty the Snowman
7:30 T'was the Night Before Christmas
8:00 Fri. Night Movie
Pocket Money
10:00 Channel 12 Reports
10:30 Late Movie
Who's Minding the Store
12:30 Late News Highlights

FRIDAY
KETC-TV- ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
5:00 Sesame St.
6:00 Zoom
7:00 Washington Week
7:30 Wall Street Week
8:00 The Hemingway Play
10:00 Kaleidoscope Tonight
10:30 Elizabeth
12:00 St. Louis Sings

FRIDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
6:30 Adam-12
7:00 Maverick
8:00 Movie
"Doctor In Distress"
10:00 Mary Hartman
10:30 Honeymooners
11:00 Movie-30
"Drums of Africa"
1:00 700 Club

Saturday's Schedule

SATURDAY
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
7:00 Country Morning
10:00 Classique Compendium
11:00 Composer's Forum
12:00 Metropolitan Opera
5:00 Classics a la Carte
7:15 The Big Band Sounds
10:00 Nightflight

SATURDAY
CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:00 Sunrise Semester
6:30 Sat. Morning News
7:00 Sylvester and Tweety
7:30 Clue Club
8:00 Bugs Buny-Road Runner Hour
9:00 Tarzan, Lord of the Jungle
9:30 Shazam-Isis Hour
10:30 Ark II
11:00 Fat Albert
11:30 NFL Game
3:00 Famous Classic Tales
A Christmas Carol
4:00 NFL Game of the Week
4:30 Film
5:00 Sat. Regional News
5:30 CBS Weekend news
6:00 Hee Haw
7:00 Charlie Brown Christmas
7:30 How the Grinch Stole Christmas
8:00 All in the Family
8:30 Alice
9:00 Carol Burnett
10:00 Channel 12 Sat. Night News
10:30 Gunsmoke
11:30 Nashville on the Road
12:00 Buck Owens Ranch Show
12:30 Good News
1:00 With This Ring
1:15 Late News Highlights

SATURDAY
PADUCAH (5) NBC
6:45 Weather Information
7:00 Woody Woodpecker
7:30 Pink Panther
9:00 Speed Buggy
9:30 Monster Squad
10:00 Space Ghost-Frankenstein, Jr.
10:30 Big John, Little John
11:00 Land of the Lost
11:30 Muggsy
12:00 RFD TV
12:30 Fencepost
1:00 Bonnie Lou & Buster Show
1:30 Spirit of Independence
2:00 Super Bowl Special
3:00 AFC Playoff
4:30 Super Bowl Special
5:00 Spirit of Independence
5:30 NBC Sat. Night News
6:00 News Beat '76
6:30 Accent
7:00 The First Christmas
7:30 Sat. Night Movie
Mame
10:00 New Beat '76
10:30 Sat. Nite Live
12:00 Dragnet

SATURDAY
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
6:00 Electric Co.
6:30 Once upon a Classic
Heidi
7:00 From These Roots
7:30 Our Story
8:00 Visions

SATURDAY
KETC-TV - ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
8:00 Lilias, Yoga and You
8:30 Crockett's Victory Garden
9:00 Maggie & The Beautiful Machine
9:30 Woman
10:00 Child Psychology
10:30 American Ballet Theater
11:30 Accounting
12:00 Open University
12:30 The Latino Consortium
1:00 G.E.D.
1:30 A Bit With Knit I & II
2:00 Farm Digest
2:30 Piano Play
3:00 Preservation Hall Jazz Band
4:00 The Good Old Days of Radio
5:00 Keep America Singing
6:00 TVTV The Superbowl
7:00 Austin City Limits
8:00 Hill Country Sounds
9:00 Hometown Sat. Night
10:30 Waylon Jennings and Jessi Colter
11:30 St. Louis Sings

SATURDAY
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
11:30 Ultraman
12:00 Batman
12:30 Aquaman- Batman-Superman
1:00 Champions
2:00 Chiller Thriller
"Captive Wild Woman"
3:30 Blondie Theatre
Blondie Knows Best
5:00 Star Trek
6:00 Space 1999
7:00 Country Music Memories
7:30 Porter Wagoner
8:00 Best of Hollywood
"300 Spartans"
10:00 Horror Classic
"Beast from 20,000 Fathoms"
11:30 Pro Football Playback

Sunday's Schedule

SUNDAY DECEMBER 12
MURRAY STATE (9) EDU.
(5 Cable)
7:00 Sabbath Musicale
8:00 Sonata de Camera
10:00 Early Composers
12:00 International Concent Hall
2:00 Bicentennial Concert
Kentucky
3:00 Speaking of American Music
4:00 NPR Recital Hall
5:45 Classics a la Carte
7:00 Voices in the Wind
8:00 Folk Festival
10:00 Jazz Revisited
10:30 Nightflight- Jazz

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 19

CAPE GIRARDEAU (12) CBS
(13 Cable)
6:00 Christopher Closeup
6:30 Sunday Morning News
7:00 Human Dimension
7:30 Herald of Truth
8:00 Hudson Brothers
8:30 For Out Space Nuts
9:00 1st Baptist Church
10:00 Camera Three
10:30 Face the Nation
11:00 This is the Life
11:30 Lamp Unto My Feet
12:00 Look Up — Live
TBA NFL Divisional PlayOffs
5:30 CBS Evening News
6:00 60 Minutes
7:00 Sonny & Cher
8:00 Kojak
9:00 Delvecchio
10:00 CBS Weekend News
10:15 Channel 12 Sun. Nite News
10:45 Salvation Army Tree of Lights
Late News Highlights

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 19
CARBONDALE (8) EDU.
(8 Cable)
4:30 Idea Thing
5:00 Crockett's Victory Garden
5:30 The Adams Chronicles
7:00 Evening at Symphony
8:00 Masterpiece Theatre
Five Red Herrings
9:00 Nova
10:00 Movie
Family Life

DECEMBER 19
SUNDAY
PADUCAH (6) NBC
(7 Cable)
7:00 Montage
7:30 Gospel Singing Jubilee
8:30 Paducah Devotion
9:15 Hamilton Bros.
9:30 Children's Gospel Hr.
10:00 Changed Lives
10:30 Accent
11:00 Meet the Press
11:30 Grandstand
12:00 AFC Playoff
3:00 Grandstand
3:15 Super Bowl Special
3:45 File 6
4:00 Dragnet
4:30 Kentucky Afield
5:00 News Beat '76
5:30 Sunday Night News
6:00 Walt Disney
7:00 Christmas Around The World
8:30 Big Event Money Changers Pt. 4
10:00 News Beat '76
10:30 Golden Age of Hollywood
The Adventures of Don Juan

DECEMBER 19
SUNDAY
KETC-TV - ST. LOUIS (9)
(Cable 9)
8:00 Sesame St.
9:00 Mister Roger's
9:30 Sesame St.
10:30 Electric Co.
11:00 Sesame St.
12:00 Villa Alegre
12:30 Rebop
1:00 Pepsi Mixed Team Champ Golf Tourn.
3:00 To be Announced
4:00 I.F. Stone's Weekly
5:00 Consumer Survival Kit
5:30 Agronsky at Large
6:00 The Way It Was
6:30 Evening at Symphony
8:00 Movie
Five Red Herrings
9:00 Firing Line
10:00 Monty Phython's Flying Circus
10:30 Internatinal Animation Fest.
11:00 St. Louis Sings

SUNDAY
DECEMBER 12
ST. LOUIS (30) KDNL
(Cable 2)
7:30 Ministry of Rev.
8:00 Voice of Victory
8:30 Jimmy Swaggart
9:00 Monkees
9:30 Superman
10:00 Great Western Theatre
"Strange Lady in Town"
12:00 Robert Schuller
1:00 Christ is the Answer
1:30 Revival Fires
2:00 Day of Discovery
2:30 Overseas Mission
3:00 FGBMI Good News
3:30 Ernest Angley Hour
4:30 Formby's Antiques
5:00 TBA
6:00 700 Club
7:30 St. Louis Blues Hockey
9:45 Garry Hunger's N.H.L.
10:00 TV Bowling
11:00 Wrestling

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Looking for a different recipe for the holidays? Try baking the granola way — it's great!

What is granola? Granola is a generic name referring to an oat-based cereal made from a variety of grains and other ingredients.

Although many people think of granola as a product recently invented by natural food enthusiasts, it was actually developed in the 1880's.

Not so new

In the late 1960's it again caught the attention of the American public, and manufactured varieties as well of dozens of recipes for home-made concoctions appeared everywhere.

But what is it that makes granola so special? Besides good nutrition, there's a lot of good taste.

Let's take a look at each ingredient: rolled oats — high in protein and B vitamins (thiamine, riboflavin, niacin); wheat germ — the "heart of the wheat," rich in protein, B vitamins, iron and phosphorus; brown sugar/honey — adds an old-fashioned natural sweetness; vegetable oil — improves color, binds ingredients together; dry milk solids — good source of riboflavin, calcium, phosphorus and potassium; brewer's yeast — provides protein, B vitamins, iron and phosphorus; coconut, almonds, sunflower seeds and vanilla — add flavor and texture to regular flavored granola.

Christmas treat

Now that we've established that granola is indeed tasty and good for you, here's a terrific idea for a Christmas treat the whole family can enjoy and you can feel good about serving!

MIX-EASY GRANOLA BARS

- 1½ cups Sun Country Granola
- ¾ cup all-purpose flour
- 1 tsp. baking powder
- ¼ tsp. salt
- ½ cup butter or margarine
- 1 cup firmly packed brown sugar
- 1 egg
- ½ tsp. maple extract
- ½ cup chopped walnuts

Measure granola, flour, baking powder and salt onto wax paper. Stir well to blend. Melt butter in large saucepan over low heat. Stir in sugar, egg and maple extract. Add blended dry ingredients and nuts. Mix well. Spread in ungreased 8-inch square pan. Bake at 350° for 25-30 minutes. Cool and cut into squares. Yield: 16-20 bars.

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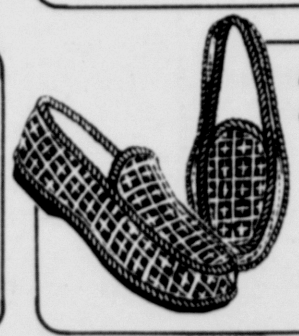

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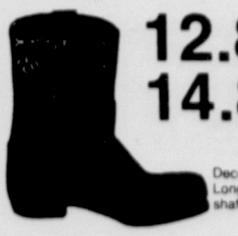

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PACKERS "IN-THE-KNOW" will travel light this holiday season, by starting at the top with a new Promax Compact — the 1,000-watt dryer that is one-half the size and weight of a professional hand dryer. A "packer's delight," Promax Compact will fit into even the smallest bag, and offers optimum drying speed and power to create a party-perfect "do" in no time at all.

Heading home for the holidays, packers "in-the-know" will avoid a big headache by thinking small when they fill their suitcases.

"Bulging bag" blues — the kind that occur when you try to squeeze half of your closet and beauty "can't-do-without's" into one suitcase — can be outsmarted with a little pre-planning.

A dash of suitcase savvy mixed with a lot of discipline will help you win the battle of the bulge. For example, clothes that are neatly "rolled" instead of folded come out surprisingly unwrinkled.

Remember to pack your lingerie at the very end, rolling each piece tightly to stuff any "cracks" left around suitcase edges.

And, keep in mind the magic word "compact" when it comes to your makeup and personal care appliances, recommend beauty experts at Gillette.

For those angels looking "homeward bound" this holiday season, Gillette has the perfect "packer's delight" — new Promax Compact, the small, lightweight 1,000 watt dryer that will never have to be left at home. Just one-half the size and weight of a professional hand dryer, Promax Compact will take up only a corner of your suitcase, and will never "bog" you down.

Promax Compact may be small — but it's mighty — offering up to 1,000 watts of drying power to speed up any perfect holiday "do."

Whether you sport a casual, breezy style, or opt for a more festive holiday coif, Promax Compact will make all of your "hair-doings" a snap.

So, before your holiday packing gets to be a big headache, think small — treat yourself to a new Promax Compact. It can follow you anywhere.

Christmas is no time to fuss with cleaning

Having friends and family over to share a special meal is one of the highlights of the holiday season, so don't let thoughts of after-dinner cleanups spoil the fun and festivity of the occasion.

Whether your menu revolves around a turkey or a beef dish, you can speed through messy kitchen cleanups with a bit of help from Grease relief® degreaser.

Some degreaser applied to greasy pots and pans will lift grease so that it can practically be rinsed away. Add it to dishwater to boost your dishwashing detergent's grease-cutting strength and dishes and flatware will be a breeze to wash, too.

It can also be a savior when guests accidentally drip greasy foods on your beautiful, washable tablecloths and when youngsters drop their drumsticks on their "Sunday best" — to remove greasy food marks, just squirt some degreaser on those spots before laundering the items (it boosts the strength and is compatible with detergents).

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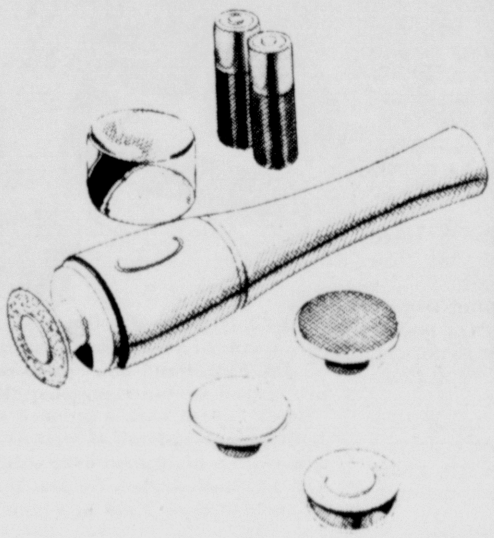

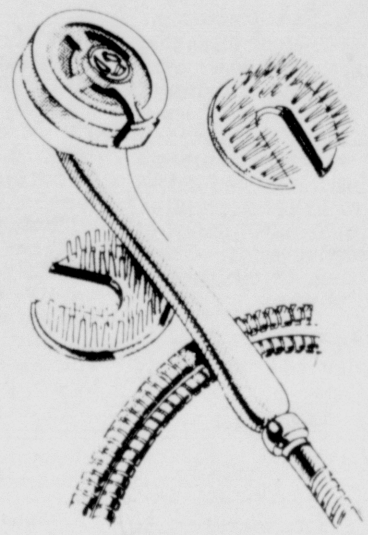

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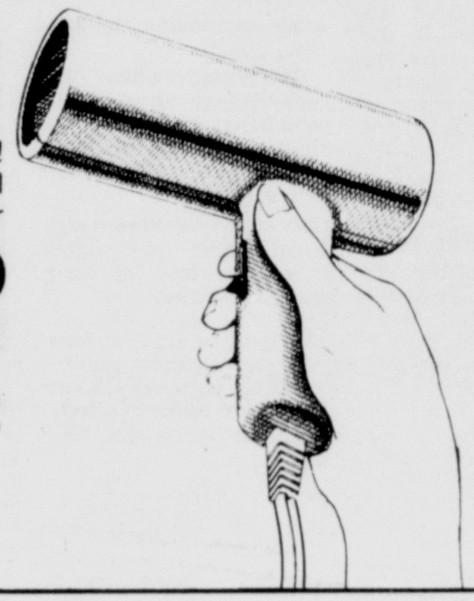

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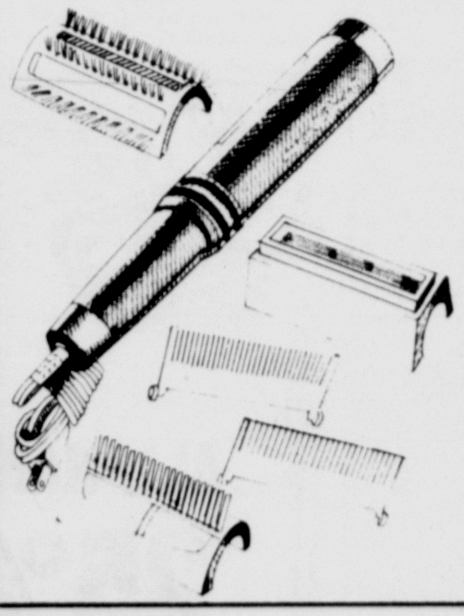

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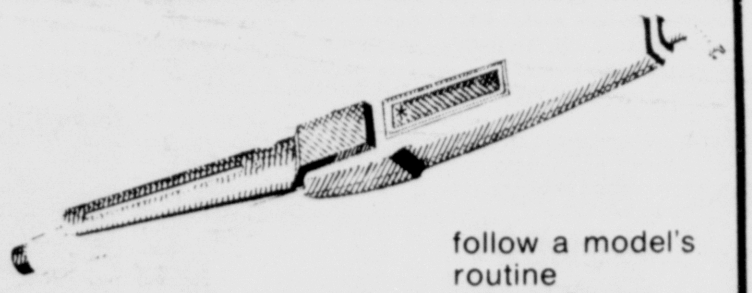

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Let Christmas memories develop before your eyes!

Christmas is a composite of instants that become fond memories. The instant the children first behold the pile of presents under the tree; the instant dad discovers the fun of junior's train; the instant mother pulls the golden turkey from the oven — they're all special moments to remember.

The memories can take shape as instantly as the moments when you save them in color pictures that develop before your eyes. From tots to grandparents, your family and friends will have the times of their lives watching moments that just happened develop into colorful pictures. And you'll have photos of the festivities to share with them before the occasion is over.

"Open me first!"

If you don't already have one, this may be the Christmas to give a Kodak EK4 or EK6 instant camera to someone in the family. Mark the package "open me first," so it can be part of the whole day's fun.

That way, you'll have pictures before all the presents are opened. Litter-free developing begins as soon as the print leaves the camera after exposure, and is essentially complete in eight minutes.

To help you create your instant memories of Christmas, here are some tips from Kodak experts.

Catch first glimpse

Make your pictures tell a story, by catching the opening chapter — the excited expressions on faces as your youngsters first glimpse the gifts — and following through to the end of the day.

Since you'll be shooting indoors for most of the day, be sure to have an ample supply of flipflash.

Whether you focus by estimating the distance, by zone focus or by using the zooming circle, be sure you include everything you want in the picture. See that a finger does not block the electric eye that sets the exposure or the print-exit slot at the bottom of the camera.

Aim for the natural

Eliminate distracting background clutter by shooting from a different angle or moving the subject.

Photograph when your subjects are absorbed in present-opening or excited chatter so the pictures look natural rather than stiff and posed.

Shoot from different distance ranges and angles to add variety to your photo collection.

Move in as close as four feet when you're photographing one person, so the picture imparts a feeling of intimacy and impact.

WHAT TO THEIR WONDERING EYES should appear but images of Christmas morning, taking shape in color pictures. When a Kodak EK6 instant camera happens to be under the tree, all the holiday highlights can be saved in self-developing photos that are easy and fun to take. The camera is available at photo dealers for less than $70.

JINGLE BELLS: Whether it's a family rendition of Christmas carols or a solemn recitation in a school pageant, a new Kodak Ektasound 230 movie camera will record the sight and sound so you remember the occasion both ways. The camera, which shoots indoors without movie lights, has a built-on microphone as well as an extension mike for the times when placement near subjects is desirable. It is available at photo dealers for less than $275 as a separate item or for less than $288 in a movie-making outfit.

Help for helpless, harried shopper!

Are you still wondering what to give to some favorite friend or relative for Christmas? Perhaps you're drawing a blank because you're only thinking in terms of objects. Think about experiences, as well, and it opens up a whole new world. In other words — make a date to take them somewhere!

For the sports fan, how about tickets to a baseball game next spring — or a football, basketball, hockey game in the more immediate future.

Theater buffs and cinema fans would love tickets to a play or movie (for two, naturally). You might want to make these up yourself, to look like a gift certificate ("to the show of your choice") — so that the lucky recipient can make a date with you at his convenience.

For the gourmet, instead of the usual cookbook or gadget, try a written invitation to dinner (on you) at a favorite restaurant.

For the music fan, get tickets to a rock concert, opera, or symphony.

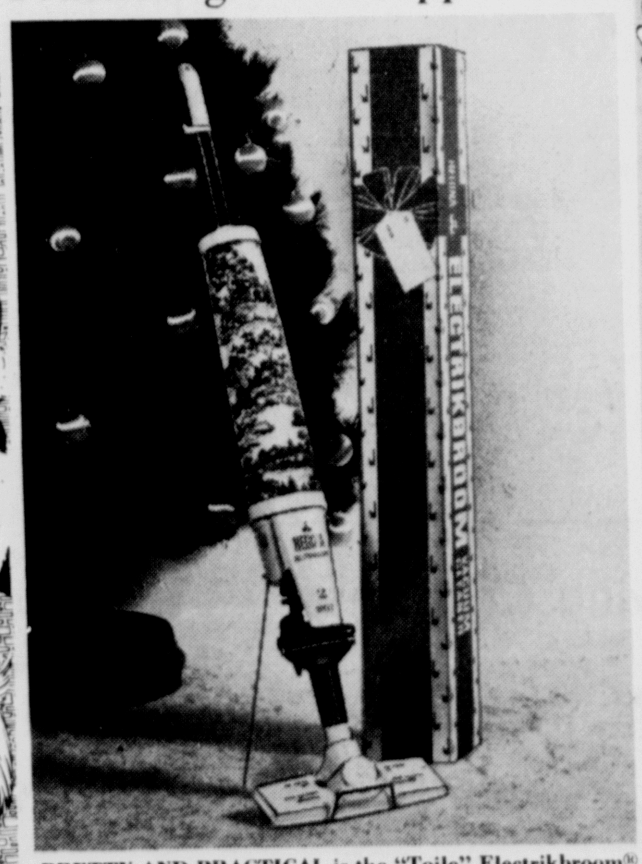
When all else fails, consider giving a subscription to a magazine on some subject of interest — sports, theater, fashion, hobbies, crafts, travel.

USE THE DAILY STANDARD CLASSIFIED ADS

CHRISTMAS CROSS is sixth in an annual series, in richly detailed sterling silver by Reed & Barton. This limited edition is a stylized reproduction of a hand-carved architectural rosette that adorns England's Chester Cathedral. It can be jewelry or tree ornament. $13.95; chain, $2.00.

Arizona's Lee Pistor kicked 15 field goals in 19 attempts last season, including four out of five from at least 40 yards.

Practical gift most appreciated



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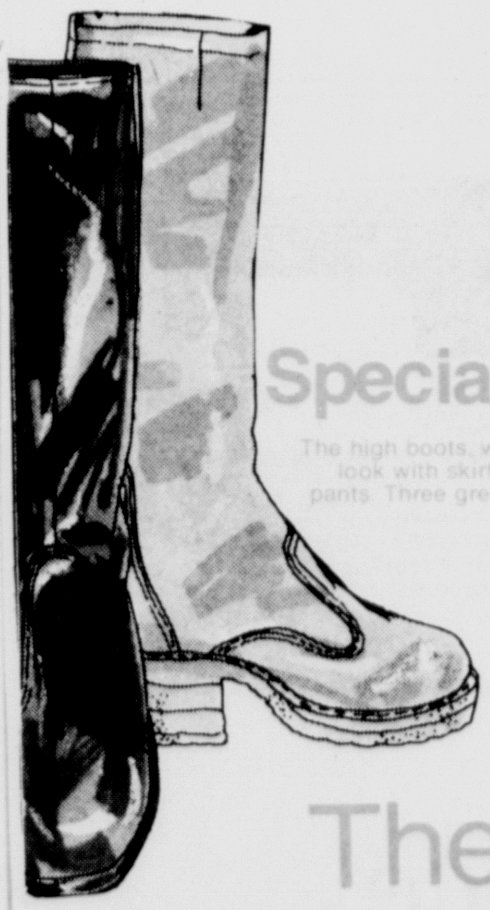

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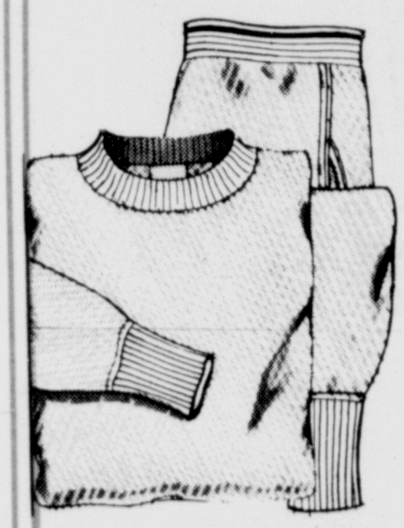

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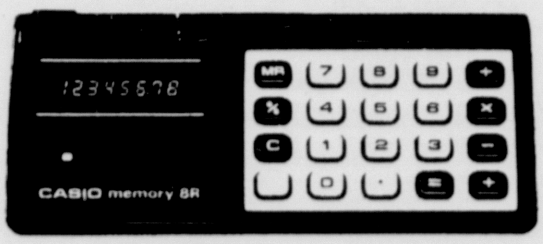

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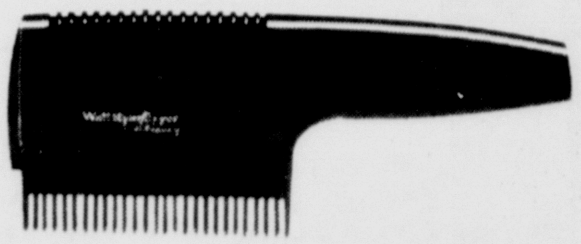

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Bowl 'em over!

CHRISTMAS GOODIES from AMF for the his and her bowling set . . . (left) color coordinated Bristol bowling bag (blue or brown), Wendy shoe in simulated leather finish (blue denim, Brazilian tan or white) and pearlescent Strikeline polyester balls (ruby, silver, green, carmel and blue). (Right) Richmond two-ball bowling bag that doubles as a weekender (rust or battleship grey), soft rubber Dick Weber Powerball with scientifically designed porous cover for greater tracking action and the AMF 3-dot Classic Pro Roll plus saddle-styled Richmond shoe (bone and brown or solid brown). Available through bowling centers and pro shops only.

Have festive fun 'hanging' a wall

Felt is a natural at Christmastime.

Easy to stitch, adaptable to all sorts of Christmas gifts, decorations, ornaments and table settings, available in bright Christmas tones — what would Christmas be without felt?

Now, felt has an extra dimension. The Pellon Corporation has just introduced Phun Phelt,™ an all-polyester, completely washable, crushproof and colorfast nonwoven material.

It has greater tensile strength than most craft felts, accepts spray paint without blurring, may be stitched, glued or fused in place, and comes in a range of joyous Christmas colors.

Any youngster on your Christmas list would love a giant wall hanging made of a single yard of Phun Phelt.™ It's 72" wide, so the hanging will measure 36" by 72." Educational as well as decorative, this hanging can feature learn-to-count squares.

To make a wall hanging like this one, you will need one yard of the basic background color, a half-yard of black for border and divider lines, and an assortment of 9" by 12" pieces in different colors.

These elements may be stitched together, or the hanging may be assembled without stitching by using Pellon's fusible web. Copy these designs, or make up your own from simple outline designs in coloring books.

Note that some of the designs have extra lines such as the legs of the spiders, the strings of the balloons, and the spouts of the whales. These may be done in hand embroidery, with machine stitching, or with a felt pen.

Cut the designs from the Phun Phelt™ squares, and, if you are fusing the designs, cut a matching piece of fusible web for each design.

Cut the black felt divider lines 1" thick, and the border lines 2" thick. Cut matching strips of fusible web. Position web between fabrics, and fuse carefully into position using a damp press cloth and 10 second firm pressure.

Position designs carefully. You may steam-baste by simply touching the tip of the steam iron to a small section of each design, thereby melting just a bit of the fusible web.

When each section is correctly placed, fuse designs to background piece. Fuse the numbers, and complete the extra markings.

Cut hanging strips, and fuse in place. This may be hung on a curtain rod, or tack to the wall.

A Christmas design, an Easter design, or any original motif may be done in the same way. With Phun Phelt,™ every day is a holiday.

WORLD ALMANAC'S Q&A

Match up the state of the union with its correct nickname.

1. Minnesota	a) Equality State
2. Tennessee	b) Badger State
3. Wisconsin	c) Gopher State
4. Louisiana	d) Volunteer State
5. Wyoming	e) Pelican State

ANSWERS:

1-c 2-d 3-b 4-e 5-a

Urbane answer to a stuffy refrigerator

Do you have a stuffy refrigerator?

A stuffy refrigerator is one that can't adjust to those out-of-the-ordinary occasions like a holiday dinner or weekend party.

It has no room for extra food nor the pep to fix all those extra ice cubes. If it could talk, it would say "Bah! Humbug!"

General Electric has a great alternative to the stuffy refrigerator — its family of Custom Ice Dispenser refrigerators.

Their shelves are adjustable — so you can make room for the big holiday bird — and made of tempered glass so if a spill does occur, clean-up is a snap.

And not only are they able to make all those extra ice cubes, they will also dispense them right into your glass, either as cubes or crushed ice.

GE Custom Ice Dispenser refrigerators come in three sizes: 20.6-cubic-foot top-freezer model that's just 30½-inches wide, a 33-inch wide 21.6-cubic-foot side-by-side and 35¾-inch wide 23.5-cubic-foot side-by-side.

They all feature adjustable, door-mounted Porta-Bins which can be taken to counter or table to reduce trips to and from the refrigerator; large, see-through fruit and vegetable bins; and a Power-Saver switch that can help reduce power consumption and cost of operation.

And of course, they all come in white as well as GE colors and have wheels to ease moving them in and out from the wall at spring cleaning time.

So this holiday season if you want to be able to stuff more in your refrigerator than you do in the holiday bird, remember GE's urbane answer to the over-stuffed refrigerator.

Winter eyes need protection

SELECTION FOR THE SPORTS ENTHUSIAST — sunglasses for all seasons. They're a thoughtful gift that can go right from under the Christmas tree onto the ski slopes, toboggan run or skating rink. The glare of snow and ice in the winter is just as harsh as the reflection from water and sand in the summer. Real sunglasses allow no more than 30% of the light to pass through and winter sports call for even darker lenses — such as Bausch & Lomb's Olympic Games Collection. His Stateside SunGlasses have a mirrored coating which blocks 90% of the light and reflects the sun's rays on extra brilliant days. Her Vagabond glasses, which block 85% of the light, also offer full winter eye protection. Both models have neutral gray lenses for true color perception.

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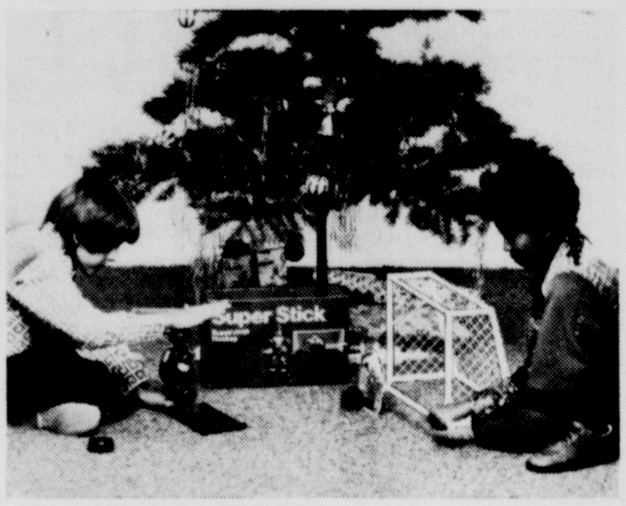
New jocks join superstar for lively family sports action!

For the diehard football fan, the only bad thing about the football season is that sometime in January, the last touchdown is scored and the last field goal kicked. From then on, the action seems to be over until September.

Football fans who carried on living room field goal competitions with "Super Toe" Football last year sought other games to carry on the thrills of the basketball, hockey and soccer seasons.

This year, three new "Super Jocks" have stepped in to fill the home sports action gap between January and September.



BLOCK THAT SHOT! The new sports action game, "Super Stick" Hockey, features fast shooting triggered by a rap on the head to the rugged plastic figure. "Super Stick" is part of the "Super Jock" series from Schaper, which includes basketball, soccer, and football sports action games.

Rap it!

"Super Touch" basketball, "Super Stick" hockey and "Super Kick" soccer all work on the same basic principle: a well placed rap on the head activates the scoring mechanism and sends the basketball, soccer ball or hockey puck towards the goal.

Goaltending is illegal, of course, in basketball; but both "Super Stick" and "Super Kick" feature goalie figures wielded by a second player to try and prevent the would-be scorer from reaching his mark.

All the "Super Jock" figures are rugged and able to stand up to repeated raps on the head. Each comes equipped with the proper decals and field markers.

No batteries are needed to enjoy "Super Jock" action, a feature that tends to keep dad happy on Christmas morning when he'd rather open his own presents than make that all too common trip to the store.

MAN'S BEST FRIEND: The first meeting between a guy and his dog can be a golden moment worth remembering. When it's captured on film with a new Kodak EK6 instant camera and flipflash, the occasion becomes a color picture eight minutes later.

TREE TIP

Don't forget to keep your tree well watered. A dry tree is susceptible to fire.

IMAGINATIVE CHRISTMAS FUN: Children playing with the new Playmobil System of colorfully designed miniature figures spend hours stretching the imagination. Figures can sit, stand, ride, and hold tiny objects in their hands, and are available in four different series — knights, cowboys, Indians, and construction workers.

Toy selection to spur imagination

For young children, toys and games mean more than "just fun." Playthings often provide a means for making contact with the world through make believe, role playing, and imitation of the grownup world.

It's essential, therefore, to select toys and games which are capable of providing outlets for a child's active imagination.

A new toy "system" is rapidly gaining popularity here. It offers children a world-in-miniature filled with colorful, exotic characters. The Playmobil System, with its four separate series of knights, Indians, construction workers and cowboys, combines clever props, accessories, and beautifully designed "little people" for unlimited make-believe possibilities.

The characters in the system are designed to be able to stand, sit, ride horses, and even hold objects.

In the knights series, for instance, the king and his knights carry flags and lances, toast each other with tiny goblets, and dine at rough-hewn tables.

The visual appeal of characters and accessories is so strong that parents often find it irresistible to join in their children's imaginative games.

Parents can begin their children with any of the Playmobil starter sets, available for each series and containing enough figures and accessories for hours of happy play.

As the children expand the scope of their activities, additional sets of add-on accessories and figures are available to provide limitless opportunities for new play situations.

Peace of mind — a great gift idea!

This Christmas give your house a room! And give yourself a quiet little corner of your world.

In this age of fast tempos, search for fulfillment and striving individualism we all could use a little "time out" in a private nook of our own. A place to read, write, listen to music, display our collections, catch up on paper work — or to just sit back and dream.

With the ever rising costs of construction materials and labor, one of the easiest and most economical ways to add a room to your home is to make use of already existing space which is not being completely utilized.

Take a look around your house and certainly you can find a poorly used corner, wall space which is not working for you or a room which can be painlessly partitioned.

Through the creative use of wall systems, such as a combination of System Cado wall furniture and System Cado free standing units, wasted wall space is put to work and a corner becomes a new "room."

Almost instantly you have created a new room without engaging an architect, the hassle of building permits, the cost of construction or forfeiting originality and the all-important touch of your own unique individualism.

The System Cado Components are all interchangeable and rearrangeable. Enjoy the fun of creating the perfect room for you or a member of your family as though you are choosing from a Chinese menu — what do you need or want in your "new room"?

The Cado wall systems have shelves, cabinets (with wood or glass doors), bar, desks, drawers — and even a wall mountable closet! In fact, if you send $1.00 (to cover handling and mailing) to Cado, P.O. Box 48, 57-08 39th Avenue, Woodside, New York 11377, they will send you a color brochure and planning guide so that you can put it all down on paper and do all your rearranging from your armchair.

Once your plan is made for the "new room," wrap it up with a big red bow, write a gift tag to the lucky recipient (with a tremendous and righteous flourish if it is to yourself from Santa!) and place it proudly under your Christmas tree. After all, it isn't every day that you build a room by yourself.

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Now there is an electronic chronograph made by Heuer Time and Electronics which performs these functions. For professional athletes, amateur joggers, auto racers, skiers, sailors, the dual-display Heuer Chronosplit combines two digital displays in one elegant water-resistant case. Prices start at $395.00.

The LCD or liquid crystal display gives the basic watch functions — hour, minute, running seconds, and date. A built-in light can be activated for nighttime viewing — strong enough to help you find a keyhole. The LED stopwatch gives accurate readings up to 9 hours, 59 minutes, and 59.9 seconds.

Those who require flawless performance in a watch will find the Chronosplit accurate to within five seconds a month — or a minute a year. This advanced step in timekeeping comes from a 115-year-old Swiss company that makes one out of every four stopwatches in the world today.

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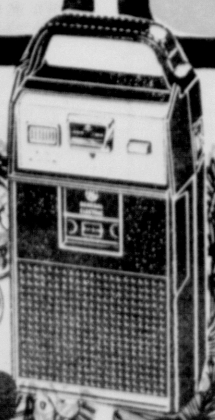

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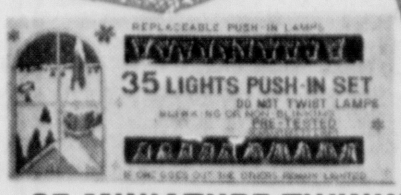

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5.42
- 100% Cotton Denim. No-Iron
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- Tapered or Full Cut. Sizes 6 to 18

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2.73 PKG. OF 3
- 100% Cotton Knit In White
- Full Cut For Comfort
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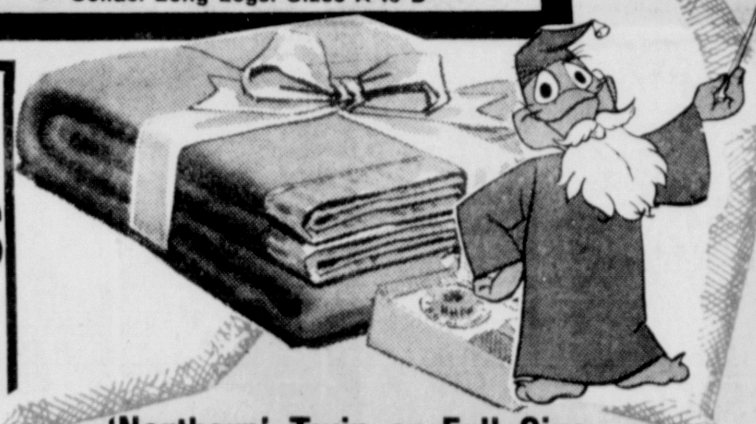

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3.94
- No-Iron Blends. Full Cut or Tapered Styles. S, M, L, XL

'Northern' Twin or Full Size Electric Blankets
Our Reg. to 15.97
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- Single Fingertip Control. Solids
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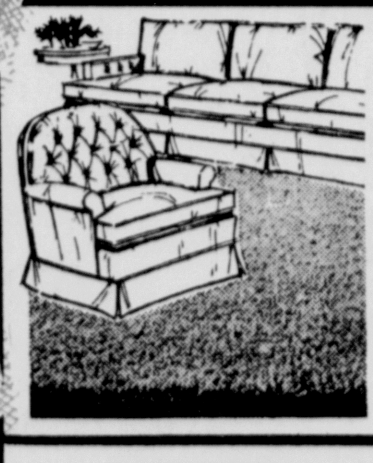

8½x11½-FT. ROOM SIZE SHAG RUGS
19.93
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- Decorator Two-Tone Colors

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5-PIECE DELUXE BATH MAT SET
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- Solid Color Dacron Polyester Pile
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CRUSHED VELVET DRAPES OR BEDSPREADS
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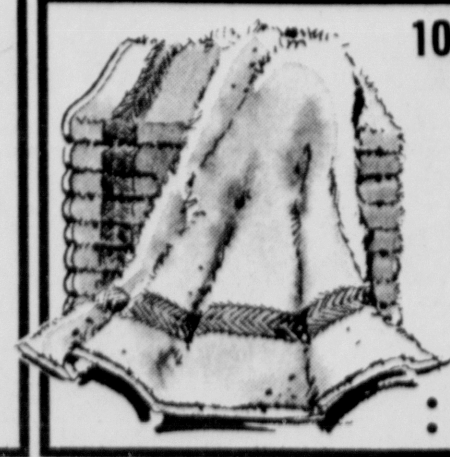

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Our Reg. 1.57
- Soft and Absorbent
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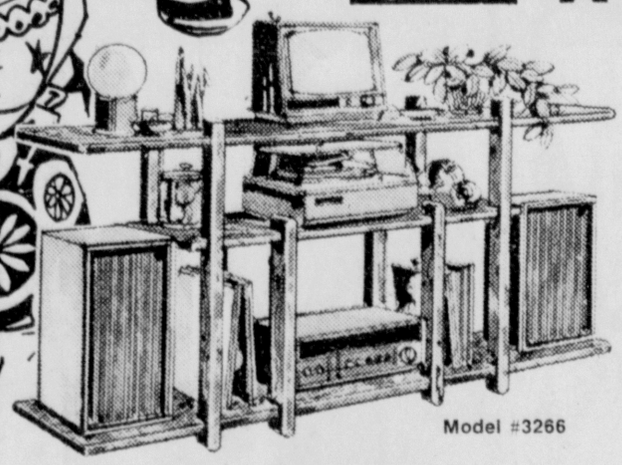

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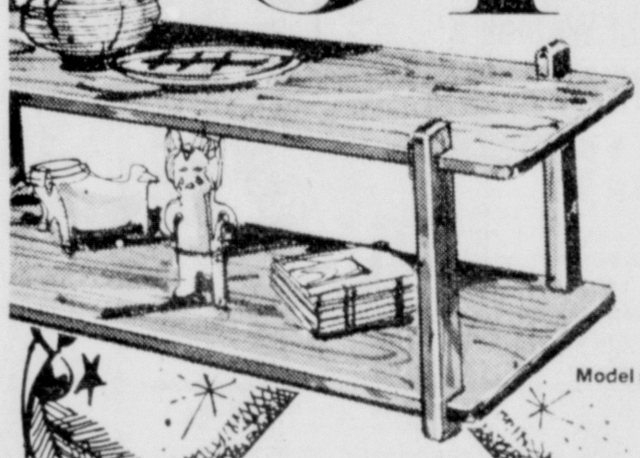
Our Reg. 39.94



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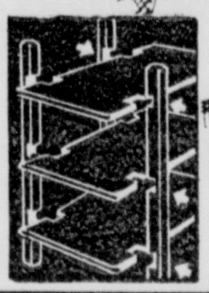

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- So Attractive. Super Sturdy Construction
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ROOM DIVIDER
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UTILITY TABLE
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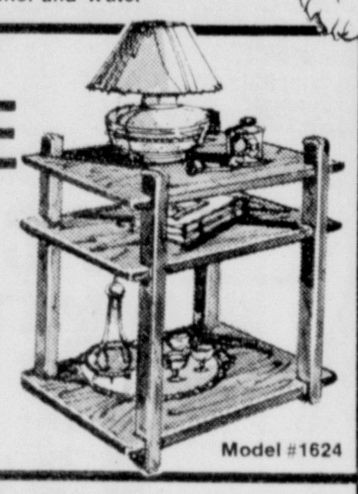

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THREE-SHELF
UTILITY STAND
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• 27½x10½x31½-Inches

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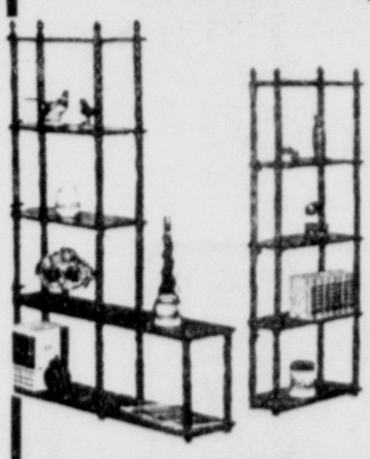

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RECLINER
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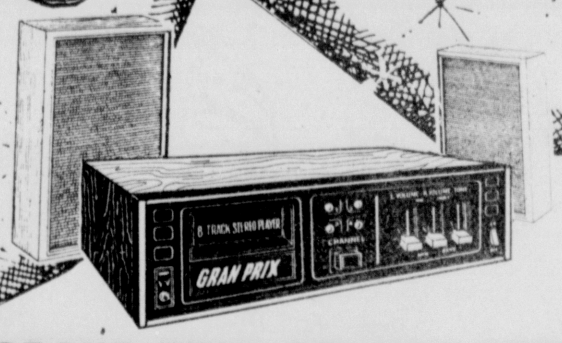

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- Channel Slide Control
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- Shoots .22 Short, Long or Long Rifle

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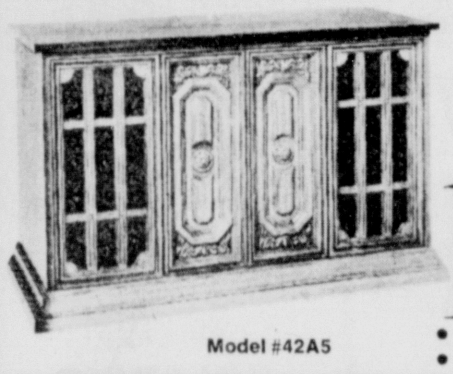

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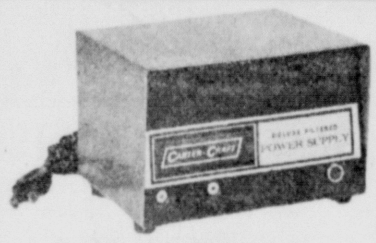

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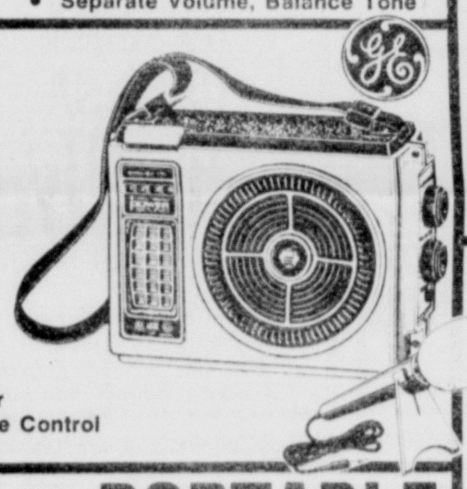

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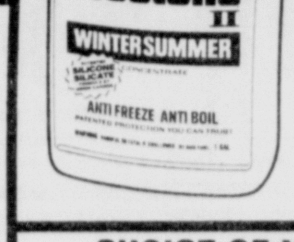

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- For All Court Surfaces
- Limit 2 Cans

PKG. OF 3 CASSETTE TAPES

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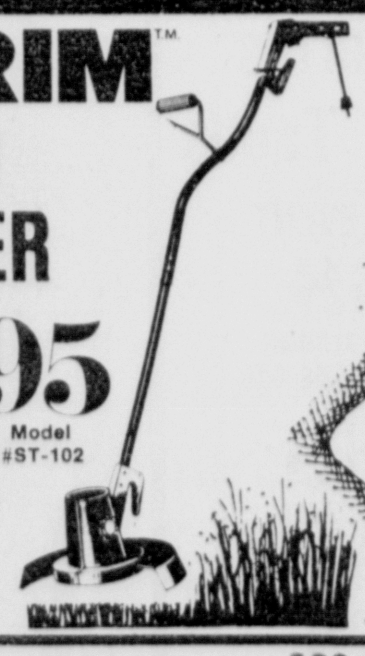

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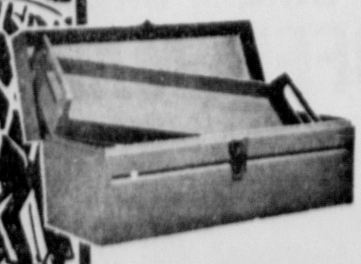

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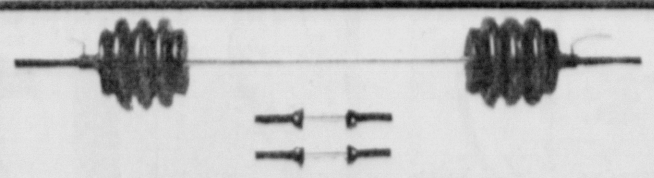

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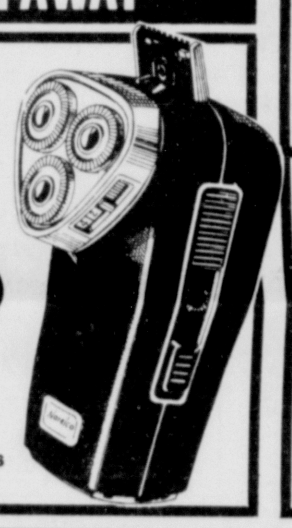

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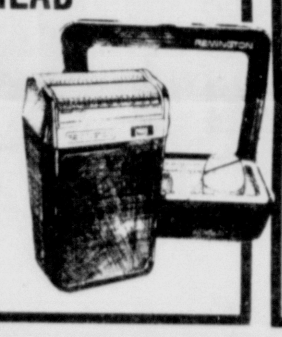

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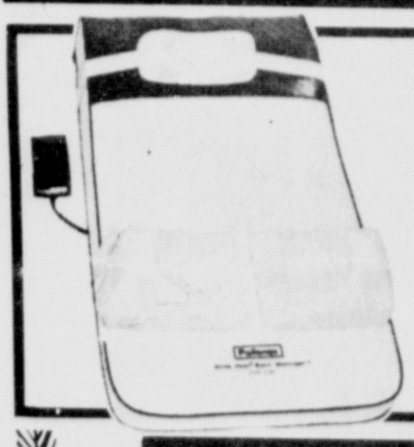

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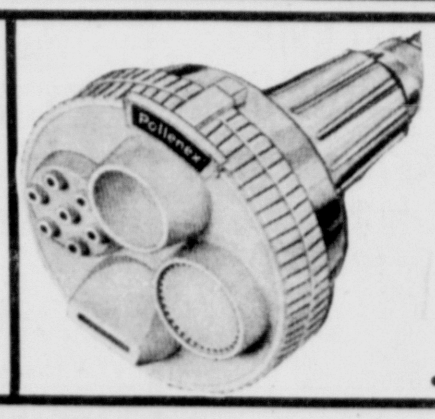

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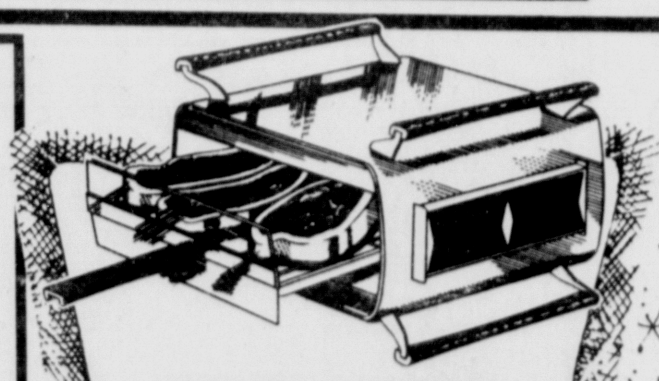

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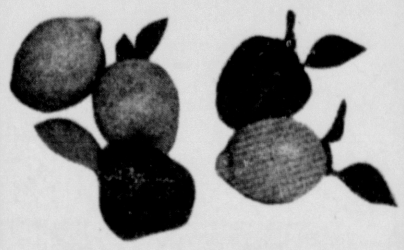

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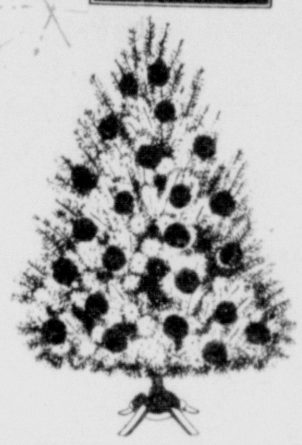

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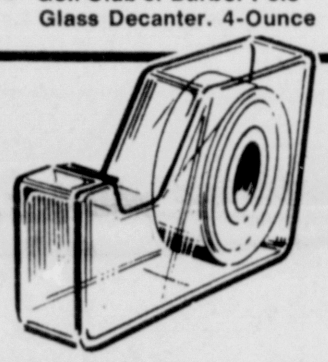

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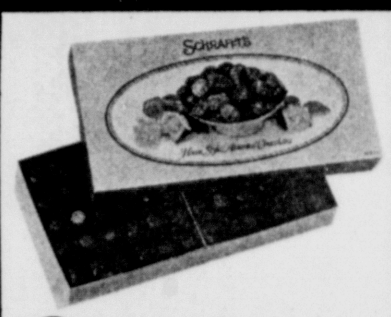

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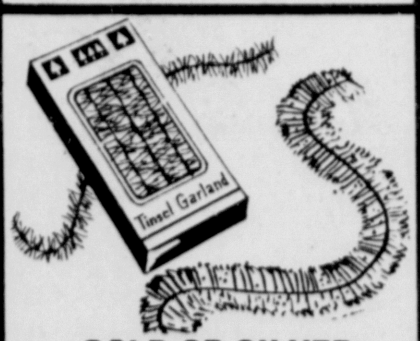

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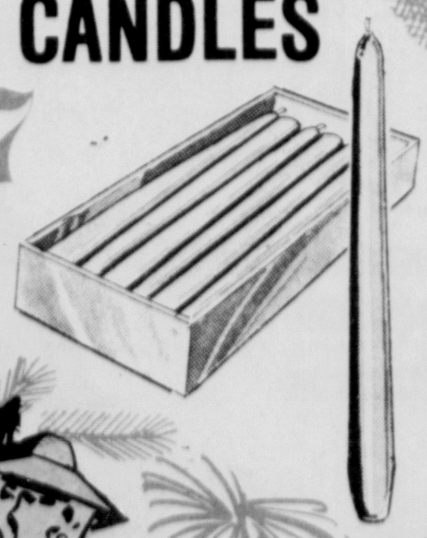

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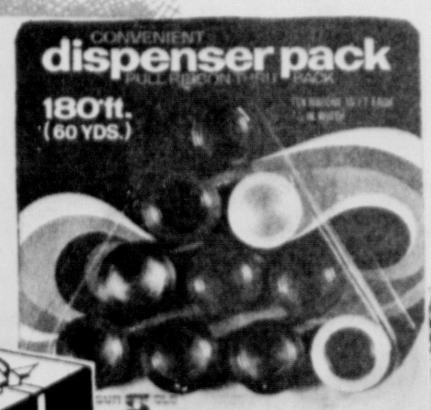

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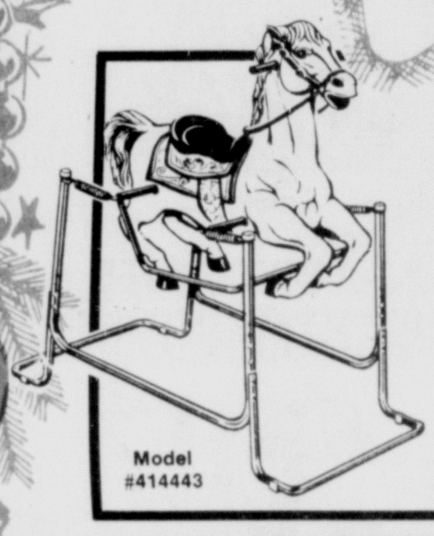

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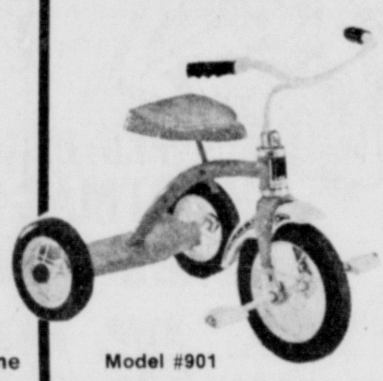

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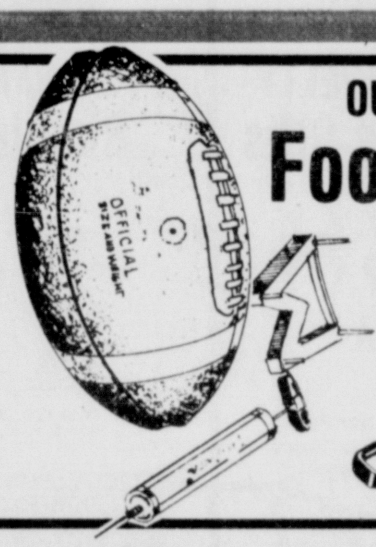

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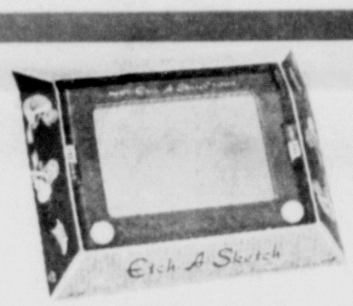

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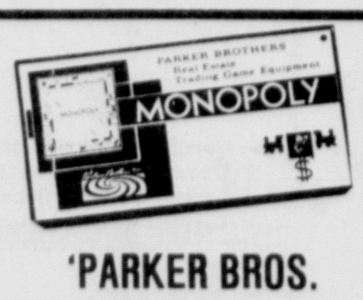

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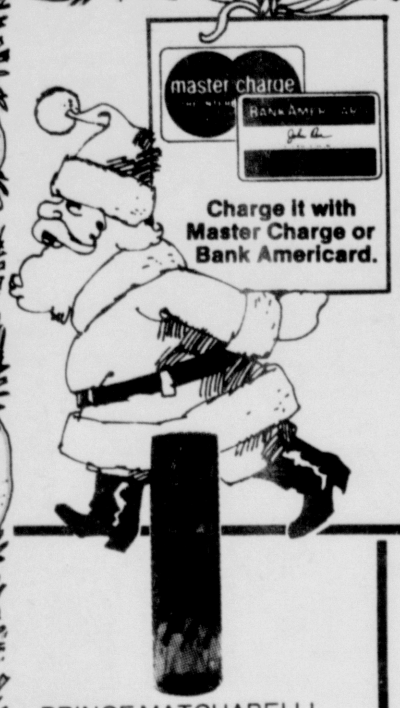

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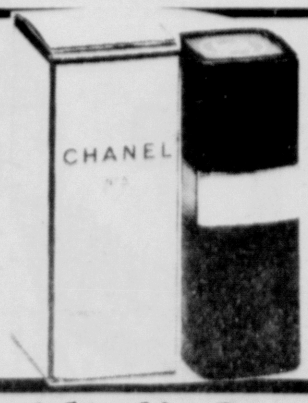

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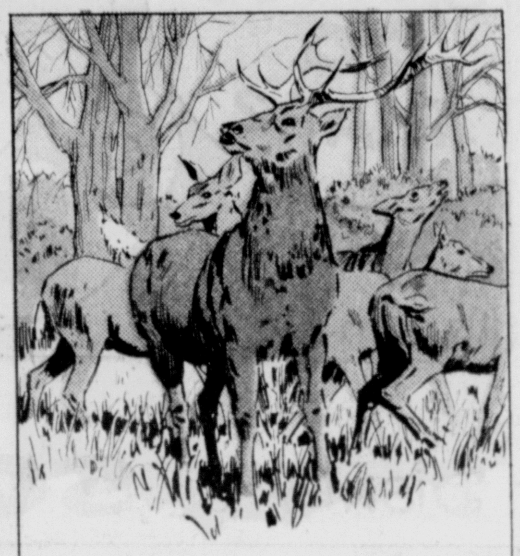
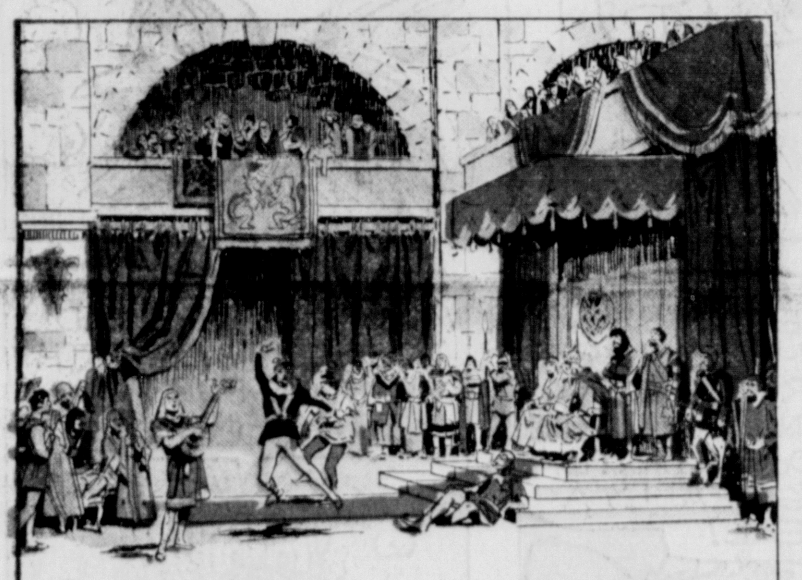


BEATERS DRIVE THE DEER TOWARDS THE HUNTERS. THERE IS MUCH COMEDY AND SOME INJURIES AS VENTURESOME KNIGHTS VIE WITH EACH OTHER TO SHOW THEIR SKILL AND DARING.

WINTER WITH ITS SNOW AND RAIN AND SLUSH DRIVES EVERYONE TO THE SHELTER OF THE CASTLE. ONLY THE MINSTRELS TREAD THE MUDDY ROADS, FOR THEY FIND SHELTER AND PROFIT WHEREVER THEY GO.



IT IS WARM IN THE GREAT HALL OF CAMELOT WITH ITS TWO GREAT FIREPLACES AND TAPESTRIES COVERING THE COLD STONE WALLS. HERE THE JUGGLERS, CLOWNS AND MUSICIANS BRING AMUSEMENT, BUT BEST OF ALL, NEWS AND GOSSIP OF THE WORLD OUTSIDE...

SIR DINADAN, AS COURT JESTER, NATURALLY TAKES CHARGE OF THE ENTERTAINMENT AND BECOMES FAMILIAR WITH ALL THE JONGLEURS.

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"THERE IS SOMETHING AMISS HERE, ARN. THESE ARE GOOD PROFESSIONAL ENTERTAINERS, BUT THEY ASK TOO MANY QUESTIONS, SEEK TOO MUCH INFORMATION. I THINK THEY ARE SPIES."

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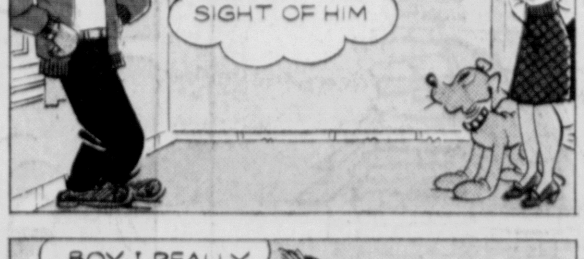

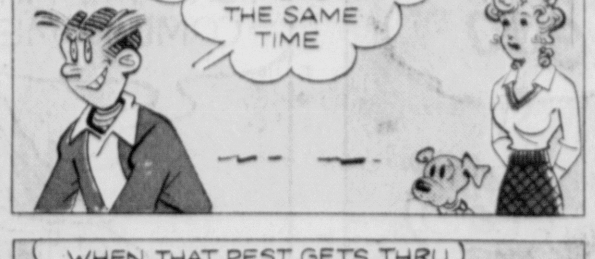

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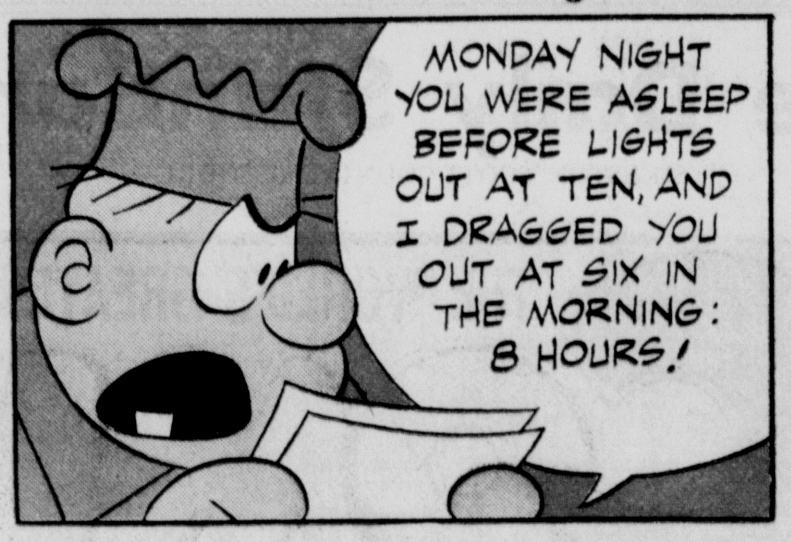

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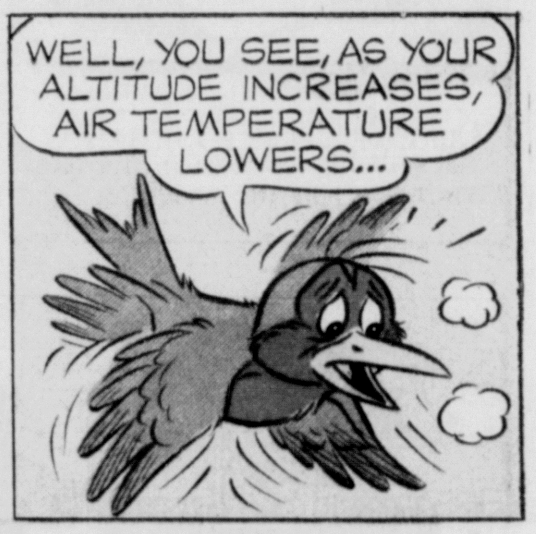

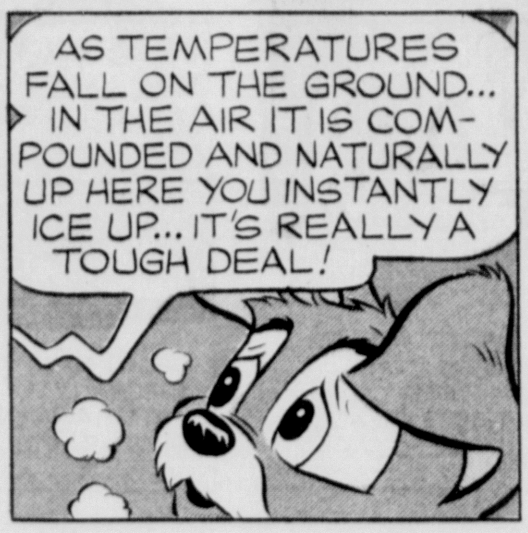

BARNEY GOOGLE and SNUFFY SMITH

by FRED LASSWELL

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BRINGING UP FATHER

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Hi and Lois

by MORT WALKER and DIK BROWNE

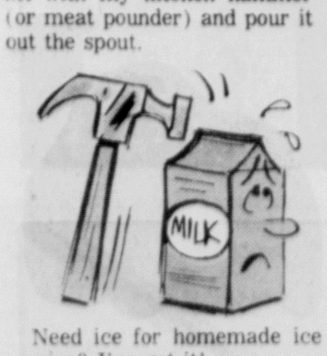
PONYTAIL ◇◇ BY LEE HOLLEY

hints from Heloise

HELP FOR HOMEMAKERS

DEAR HELOISE:

I've been freezing water in clean half-gallon milk cartons. It keeps the freezer full until I need the space. I have ice for the camp cooler, and when it melts I have water for our seven little boys. For cool drinks, I hammer it a bit with my kitchen hammer (or meat pounder) and pour it out the spout.



Need ice for homemade ice cream? I've got it!

Wanda

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Now, that's what I call using your old noggin'.

It is a known fact a freezer operates more efficiently when it is full or almost full, and should the power go off you have ice to help keep things from spoiling. And, like you said, you have plenty of ice for other uses. All for free!

Heloise

LET'S HAVE PASTA!

DEAR HELOISE:

When cooking, sometimes I don't use an entire can of tomato paste. Rather than just putting it in the refrigerator and most likely forgetting it, I put it in a margarine tub and slip it in the freezer. Then, using a clean knife or spoon, I can dig out as much as I want to use.

I don't have to open a new can when sometimes just a spoonful or two is all I need in cooking something.

Mrs. E. W. Zimmerman

THE RIGHT FORK!

DEAR HELOISE:

I discovered this quite by accident.

I just got a dishwasher a few months ago and I was having trouble with my long-handled forks, spoons, and spatulas. They were too tall to put in the silverware rack and when I put them in the rotary shelf on top, they slid out the sides.

Since all my utensils have holes in the ends of the handles, I simply slipped them over one of the spikes and presto, no more problems with them slipping out the side.

Lillie DeRossett

A STICKY PROBLEM

DEAR HELOISE:

If you ever have that annoying problem of not having plastic wrap stick to the edges of a bowl, try wetting all around the rim of the bowl with a damp paper towel.

When you put the plastic on, the water will help hold the plastic beautifully.

A Sincere Reader

SHORTY PINUPS

DEAR HELOISE:

I'm 5 feet 1. When I shop for pants, skirts, or dresses, it's hard to tell how they look because they're so long.

The last time I shopped, I put about six straight pins on a piece of cardboard and put them in my purse before I left home.

Now when I try something on, I can pin up the hem to get an idea how it will look when it is shortened.

Sometimes fitting rooms have pins on the floor but not always.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hurlbut

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Us shorties do have that problem and you just helped solve it!

Thanks, doll!

Heloise

THE DESK SET

DEAR HELOISE:

Recently I moved into my brother's room when he moved out, and I was faced with the situation of decorating the room.

I got a new desk and wanted a desk set that matched. Since I didn't have a lot of money to spend I decided to make my own.

I took a large piece of cardboard and covered it with some adhesive-backed paper. I took a box that stick deodorant came in, covered it and had a matching pencil holder. I used construction paper to make pockets on the cardboard piece.

Now I have a nice desk set.

Pam Kostolyn

This feature is written for you... the housewife and homemaker. If you have a hint, problem or suggestion you'd like to share... write to Heloise today in care of this newspaper.

ALL CHOKED UP!

DEAR HELOISE:

For a very distinctive looking choker necklace, try this idea!

Take two link-type bracelets and fasten them together. (If your hair is long, they do not even have to match.)

I've received many compliments on the chokers I've created.

D. Christine Hach

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THANK YOU, DARLENE!

DEAR HELOISE:

I go to an elementary school and I take my lunch very often.

One time I had my choice of taking corn chips, pretzels or tortilla chips. I like them all very much and couldn't decide which to take in my lunch. So I took a bag and put in some tortilla chips, some pretzels, and some corn chips.

It was good and I had a variety.

Darlene Hiles
Age 11

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Mixed up munchies, huh! Sounds good to me. You sure were a smartie! I love you very much.

Aunt Heloise

FAN MY BROW!

DEAR HELOISE:

Here's a tip for all those girls who suffer from superfine eyebrow "droops." Many times the hairs in the eyebrow will tend to droop rather than keep their arched, fine line.

A remedy for this problem is to spray some hair spray on the end of a cotton swab until it is saturated. Then gently stroke the brows with this moistened end to achieve the desired shape. The other end of the cotton swab, which is still dry, may be used to remove excess spray from the brow.

Gail Hoofnagle

FIDO'S FANCY

DEAR HELOISE:

I had to wash my dog the other day and was a little concerned as it was not a warm day.

I got the bright idea of putting a towel in the dryer, turned it to the hottest temperature, and when doggie was through with his bath, I enveloped him in the warm towel.

He was so delightfully surprised he didn't even try to get away.

Joan Bard

LETTER OF LAUGHTER

DEAR "HELL"—OOPS!
DEAR HELOISE:

Since I've been laid off from my job, I've become a TV game and panel show addict and have found the best way to turn the "boob tube" off, is not to turn it on in the first place!

Mrs. M.F.

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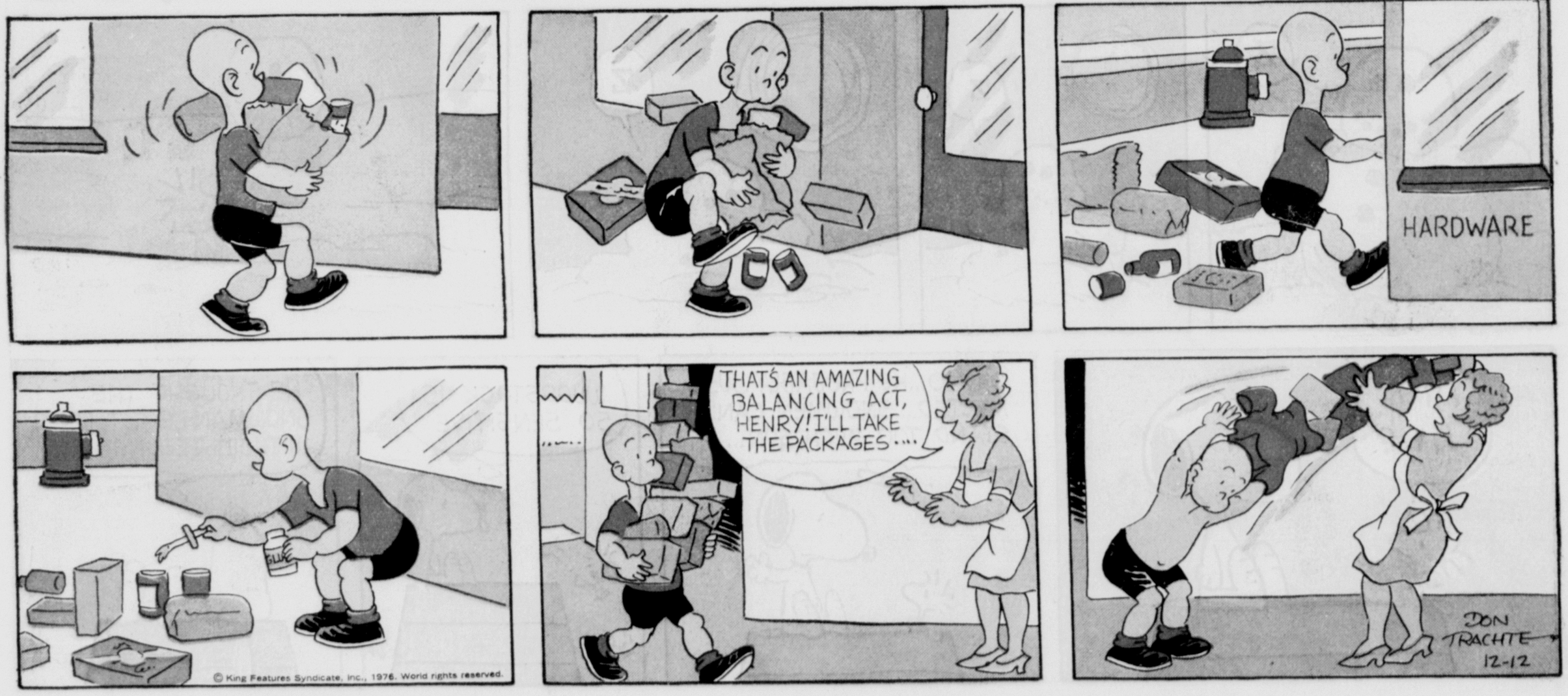

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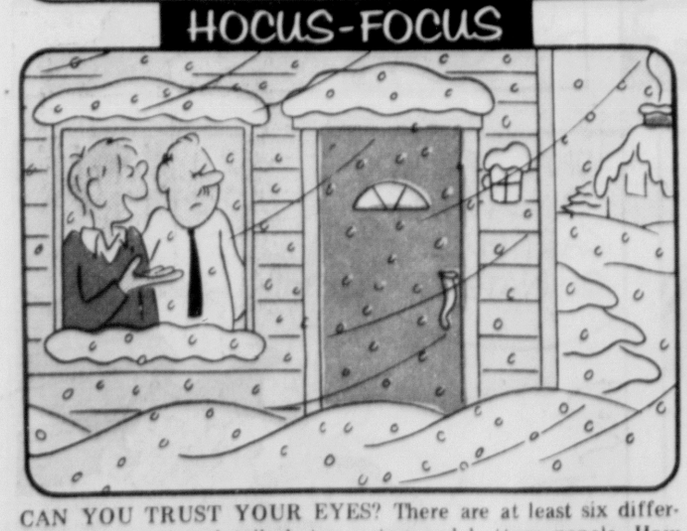

HOCUS-FOCUS

CAN YOU TRUST YOUR EYES? There are at least six differences in drawing details between top and bottom panels. How quickly can you find them? Check answers with those below.

Differences: 1. Sleeve stripes are missing. 2. Hair is different. 3. Number is missing. 4. Tree is different. 5. Shovel is missing. 6. Window box is missing.

BULLETIN BOARD

●BLANK VERSE! "My true love need not give to me, French hens, gold rings, partridges a-tree; adding, if you count the score, to ____ hundred ____." Fill blanks with total, if you can.

Three hundred sixty-four.

●Tell-Me-This! I'm a certain good thing that everyone enjoys at a Yuletide meal. What am I? Give up? How about a good appetite?

●Challenge: Take four from four and leave eight. Clue: This takes paper, but a pen or pencil will not help. No fair peeking.

Cut four corners from a sheet of paper and eight corners will be left.

●Tongue Testers! Say fast, several times: Santa's sled sped slowly southward. Then try: The Duke drank a drink at the Dewdrop Inn.

UP A TREE! There's no need to wait for Christmas to trim this tree. It can be done immediately—if you're smart!

As you see, nine ornaments are arranged in a triangle on the tree's surface. You are asked to insert the numbers one through nine in the ornaments so that each of the three sides totals 17. Corner numbers figure in adjacent sides.

Time limit: Five minutes are required here. One possible answer is given below, but don't peek until you've given the test a fair try.

Answer: Top 1, clockwise, 6, 7, 3, 4, 8, 2, 9, 5.

EYE-POPPER! Fix eyes on lollipop. Bring page gradually closer to your face. Which Santa licks the lollipop?

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SOCKED IN! Add these colors neatly for a timely picture above: 1—Red. 2—Lt. blue. 3—Yellow. 4—Lt. brown. 5—Flesh tones. 6—Lt. green. 7—Lt. purple. 8—Dk. purple. 9—Black.

SPELLBINDER!

SCORE 10 points for using all the letters in the word below to form two complete words:

F A V O R I T E

THEN score 2 points each for all words of four letters or more found among the letters.

Try to score at least 50 points.

Possible anagram: Vote, fair.